

# INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC SPREADING

## EXPLOSION OF BURSTING GAS MAIN HURTS 12

Pavement Wrecked In  
London District; Some  
Overcome

LONDON, Dec. 20.—  
Twelve persons were injured  
seriously and taken to a hos-  
pital after an explosion which  
occurred on the pavement in  
the heart of the West End re-  
tail district today.

The explosion is believed to  
have been caused by a burst-  
ing gas main.

Shortly before noon,  
large quantities of gas were  
escaping from the area cov-  
ered by the explosion. Several  
persons outside the police  
lines were overcome.

A fire which broke out  
after the explosion was ex-  
tinguished by firemen who  
remained at the scene when  
a strong smell of gas came  
from the huge gap in the  
pavement.

The original explosion oc-  
curred in High Holborn near  
the West Central post office  
where electricians were re-  
pairing a dynamo in a man-  
hole. Flames suddenly came  
from the dynamo and a ter-  
rific gas explosion followed.

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New Witnesses In  
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ron women, described as mysteri-  
ous figures in the life of Wilbur  
Heldman, Lorain furnace salesman,  
were to be questioned by Detec-  
tive Ora Slater today as he re-  
sumed investigation of the death  
of Heldman's wife, Margaret.

Mrs. Heldman was shot to death  
after she confessed killing Ver-  
nard Fearn, Waco coal dealer, with  
whom she admitted indiscretions.  
Heldman, arrested as a material  
witness, claims she committed  
suicide.

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were issued by Coroner T. C. Mc-  
Quinn, and while Slater and Coun-  
ty Prosecutor Henry Harter were  
preparing to question them, Held-  
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and Heldman although it was said  
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early life.

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there said today.

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Authorities are preparing to  
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Mae MacMahon, who was seriously  
injured Thursday evening, when  
her husband William J. MacMahon,  
an aviator and former college ath-  
lete, is alleged to have beaten her  
on the head with a flashlight, has  
been dismissed from the hospital.  
She will go to the home of her  
mother, Emil Stillwagen in Pitts-  
burgh, it was announced when she  
left the hospital. MacMahon was  
permitted to return to his home in  
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Clapper, a teller in the Ohio Mer-  
chants Trust Co. Bank, was held  
to the grand jury today under  
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embezzlement. Officials declare  
his books show a shortage of \$13,  
500.

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## DIRECTORS REQUEST ACTION AS "RUN" FOLLOWS SUICIDE CASE

Alarm Develops After Director Takes Own Life;  
State Officials Hope To Re-Open  
Institution Soon.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 20.—The Amherst Savings and  
Banking Company at Amherst, Lorain County, was closed by  
the state banking department today.

The institution was closed at the request of the board  
of directors and was due to a run which followed the suicide  
of Jacob Baus, a director, Tuesday night.

Baus hanged himself, according to information received  
here.

E. H. Blair, superintendent of the bank which was organized  
in 1906.

It is capitalized at \$50,000 and  
carries about the same amount in  
surplus and reserve.

Total resources are \$1,300,000.

Examiner William J. Skehan has  
been investigating the bank's con-  
dition since Baus' death. He said  
the bank's affairs would be audit-  
ed.

According to word received here  
from Blair, officials hope to work  
out a plan under which the insti-  
tution will be reopened in six weeks.  
William H. Schibley is president

## HUSBAND IS ONLY BURDEN SAYS GILDA And Gets Black Eye For Trouble Says Gil Boag

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 20.—Gilda  
Gray considers a husband the  
greatest burden an actress can  
have.

Miss Gray, who is here awaiting  
action on her divorce suit against  
Gil Boag, New York night club  
proprietor, indignantly denied she  
would marry C. D. Kreppe, her  
manager, if she gets her divorce  
from Boag.

"I would never marry again,"  
Miss Gray said. "It has been such  
a relief to go home after my work  
and not have to fear the entrance  
of a male brute and the terrifying  
thought 'he's drunk again.'"

When asked if it were true that  
Boag had helped her in her career  
as a dancer and motion picture ac-  
tress, Miss Gray said:

"He has only lived off my earn-  
ings. His charges concerning my  
morals are an accurate indication  
of the elevation of his mind."

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Gil Boag,  
husband of Gilda Gray, held a  
party at his apartment last night  
at which he showed friends the  
Christmas present he received  
from Gilda.

It was a black eye.

Boag said he stopped him  
outside a night club and said:  
"Gilda is sorry she can't get  
back here for Christmas, so she  
asked us to give you this."

Then, Boag said, one of the men  
struck him in the eye.

## VETERAN NEWS MAN DIES IN DELAWARE

DELAWARE, O., Dec. 20.—Funer-  
al services will be held here tomor-  
row for Delos Richard Baker, 80,  
former managing editor of the Cin-  
cinnati Post, who died last night at  
the home of his daughter, Mrs.  
Harry Leonard, at Kibbourn, near  
here. He had been ill two weeks.

Baker served on the Post in the  
early 80's as a reporter, editorial  
and feature writer and exchange  
and managing editor at different  
periods. He was the Post's Wash-  
ington correspondent in the early  
90's. He was also employed on the  
editorial staff of the Cincinnati  
Times-Star.

## GIRL LEAPS INTO WATER FROM LINER

CHERBOURG, France, Dec. 20.—  
Passengers arriving today aboard  
the liner Deutschland from New  
York said that a girl named Palma  
Kerestey, who had been studying  
piano in Chicago, jumped over-  
board and was drowned last Tues-  
day.

The body was not recovered.  
A broken heart because she had  
to leave her sweetheart in America  
was blamed by some of the pas-  
sengers for the act, but others  
said she was despondent because  
the alien law forced her to aban-  
don her hopes of becoming a great  
pianist when the period she was  
allowed in America expired.

## CONVICT REWARDED FOR HELPING CHECK OHIO PRISON BREAK

Former Policeman Given  
Pardon By Gov-  
ernor.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 20.—Be-  
cause E. W. Clark, former Hamil-  
ton policeman, serving a life sen-  
tence in the state penitentiary for  
murder, aided in recapturing thir-  
teen convicts who participated in  
the prison break of November 8,  
1926, Governor Vic Donahey has  
pardoned him, effective Jan. 5.

Clark was convicted for a murder  
said to have resulted from a  
bootlegging row in which five  
others participated. He has been  
in the penitentiary since Dec. 21,  
1921. He has been a "trustee" and  
driver of Warden Thomas' auto-  
mobile.

At the time of the prison break  
two years ago, Thomas gave Clark  
a pistol and put him at the wheel  
of an automobile loaded with offi-  
cers to pursue the escaped con-  
victs. Commutation of his sentence  
was recommended by Warden  
Thomas.

The governor also commuted  
the sentence of Fred Glanz, Lima  
serving three to fifteen years on a  
burglary charge and made him eli-  
gible for parole.

## HOPES BRIGHT FOR MONARCH

LONDON, Dec. 20.—King George  
today entered the fifth week of his  
struggle against an illness, which  
at times appeared to point to cer-  
tain death.

While it is conceded that the  
danger must continue due to the  
tremendous strain on his constitu-  
tion, hopes for his ultimate recov-  
ery were brighter today than they  
have been since the first week of  
his illness.

Palace officials said he passed  
a restful night. The improvement  
noted in the seven consecutive bul-  
letins up to last night was main-  
tained, it was said.

## OH SANTA! WHAT A PUNCH

Columbus Saint Packs Haymaker In Pack; By-  
Stander Loses Teeth Over Skeptic Kids.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 20.—  
Santa Claus must answer a  
warrant charging assault and  
battery when he arrives in Col-  
umbus Christmas eve.

A man with two front teeth  
missing will be the complain-  
ing witness and two disillusion-  
ed boys, if they can be lo-  
cated, will testify.

Santa Claus was going to  
work. He was all rigged out in  
a red suit and a fine set of  
whiskers. As he approached  
a corner here two tough kids  
approached.

"Ooh! Look at Santa Claus,"  
exclaimed one of the boys, the  
smaller and, it turned out, the  
one with the greatest number  
of illusions.

A large man who later  
played the role of innocent by-  
stander happened to hear the  
remark and stopped.

"That ain't Sandy Claus,"  
the elder boy asserted. "That  
ain't Sandy Claus and those  
whiskers are on a rubber  
band."

Then things moved rapidly.  
The big boy reached for San-  
ta's whiskers and the by-  
stander edged in to get a good  
view.

The big boy took a good grip  
on the whiskers and pulled.  
The whiskers were soft,  
fleece and slippery and the  
kid lost his grip. The whiskers  
flew back about two feet and  
smote Santa on the neck.

The innocent bystander  
laughed a good, hearty laugh.  
This was too much even for  
a good-hearted Santa. He  
swung at the tough kid, an old  
fashioned haymaker starting  
from the ground.

The kid ducked and the inno-  
cent bystander took it in the  
chin. Two teeth rattled to the  
walk.

## He's Head of New York's Finest



Here is Grover A. Whalen, official greeter of distinguished  
visitors to America's shores, smiling characteristically as he  
prepares to take over the job of police commissioner of the city  
of New York. He resigned a position paying him \$100,000 a  
year to accept the post tendered him by Mayor Walker, which  
yields only \$10,000.

## GIRL OUTDISTANCES PURSUER IN STRANGE RACE OVER COUNTRY

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Dec.  
20.—Miss Ruth McConnell, niece  
of Kenneth B. Coulter of New  
York, was drawing near San Fran-  
cisco this morning while Dr. D. O.  
Meeker of Buffalo, New York, pur-  
suing her in an airplane, was  
stopped at Salt Lake City.

Meeker chartered an airplane  
and sped westward, hoping to  
catch the train at Reno, Nevada,  
but darkness and the refusal of  
aviators to attempt a night flight,  
prevented him going beyond Salt  
Lake City.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Kenneth  
B. Coulter, whose niece, Miss Ruth  
McConnell, has thus far outdis-  
tanced Dr. D. O. Meeker of Buffa-  
lo and Rochester, N. Y., in a race  
to San Francisco, said today that  
he knew nothing whatever about  
the matter.

## RAILROADS PLAN TO TAKE EXPRESS CO.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—A com-  
mittee of railway executives asked  
the Interstate Commerce Commis-  
sion today to approve a proposed  
agreement under which railroads  
will take over and operate the  
American Railway Express Com-  
pany. Railroads represented by  
the committee are the New York  
Central; Pennsylvania and the  
Atchafalpa, Topeka and Santa Fe.

The application said the rail-  
road would acquire properties of  
the company by March 1, 1929, and  
operate it thereafter as a substi-  
tute agency of the railroads.

## SENTENCE STUDENT

CLEVELAND, Dec. 20.—Chester  
Hime, 20, former student at Ohio  
State University, must serve  
twenty years in the state penitentiary  
for robbery. He was convicted  
yesterday.

## CONGRESS TODAY

Senate:  
Filibuster over precedence of  
Navy bill and anti-war treaty.  
Public lands committee con-  
tinues Salt Creek oil investiga-  
tion.

House:  
Continues consideration of  
labor, commerce, state and  
justice department appropria-  
tion bill.  
Foreign affairs committee  
hearing on proposal for inter-  
national conference for calen-  
dar simplification.

## AGED MAN KILLED

CHILLICOTHE, Dec. 20.—Geo.  
Schilling, 80, was killed by a train  
at Gregg's Hill, Pike County, yes-  
terday.

## SENATORS KING AND NORRIS WILL DELAY NAVAL BILL ACTION

Toss Wrench Into Ma-  
chinery Arranged  
By Truce

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—  
A two-man filibuster was  
started in the senate today  
against the neatly arranged  
truce of leaders who had  
planned immediate consider-  
ation of the naval cruiser  
building bill and delay until  
after Christmas of action on  
the Kellogg anti-war treaty.

The two men who disrupted  
the program of leaders are  
Senator George W. Norris  
the Nebraska Republican and  
veteran head of the indepen-  
dent group of the senate, and  
Senator William H. King,  
Democrat, of Utah.

"I will talk until we adjourn  
Saturday if necessary to prevent  
adoption of the motion which  
has been made for consideration of  
the naval bill without consideration  
of the treaty," Norris told the United  
Press; "You can say they won't  
pass that motion by Saturday, I  
will not consent to taking up the  
navy bill until some arrangement  
is made to assure consideration  
and a vote on the anti-war treaty."

The dual insurrection started  
late yesterday when Chairman  
Hale of the naval affairs committee  
moved that the senate make his  
navy bill the unfinished business.

At once Senator Curtis, vice  
president-elect and Republican  
floor leader, swung the senate into  
executive session to avoid a fur-  
ther row, and Hale's motion ex-  
pired when the senate adjourned  
today. Hale announced that he  
renew his motion at the earliest  
opportunity, while Norris and  
King indicated their vocal chords  
were in good order and they in-  
tended to exercise them in the in-  
terest of the anti-war pact.

The filibuster is not expected to  
continue long. Some agreement  
satisfactory to the two insurgents  
is expected to be forthcoming  
from the leaders.

Delay in consideration of the  
peace pact was assented to by  
Chairman Borah of the foreign re-  
lations committee. Many senators  
had left for their homes to spend  
the holidays; a poll showed only  
ten votes against the pact while  
the navy bill seemed certain not  
to pass until the senate recon-  
vened after the holidays.

Norris and King were strongly  
opposed to the navy measure.  
They are both understood to be in  
favor of the treaty, although  
neither is an administration sup-  
porter.

Sandwiched between these two  
fires over the navy bill and the  
treaty are the nomination of Roy  
O. West, as secretary of interior  
and the interior department ap-  
propriation bill which Senator  
Smoot of Utah wants to take up  
today.

Comparative peace exists in the  
house where the fourth appropria-  
tion bill of the season is ready for  
consideration. It is the state, jus-  
tice, commerce and labor depart-  
ment's supply bill which is ex-  
pected to be adopted without seri-  
ous debate.

## YOUTHS FIRE CHURCH

WASHINGTON, C. H., Dec. 20.—  
Pleading not guilty to a charge  
of setting fire to Camp Grove Meth-  
odist Church, south of this city  
Monday night, Elmer Henington,  
19, and Hollis Bowen, 21, both of  
near fronton, were bound over to  
the grand jury. Failing to furnish  
bond both were sent to jail. Hen-  
ington said he was in the church  
but said the fire which he had  
built on the church floor was put  
out.

## DUKE STILL ILL

ANTIBES, France, Dec. 20.—The  
lung congestion of the Grand  
Duke Nicholas leader of the Rus-  
sian White army and seriously ill  
at his home here, had diminished  
today but the condition of his  
heart continued to cause uneas-  
iness.

## Witch Doctor Treats Child For "Opnemma" With Strange Incantations; State Health Bureau Will Investigate.

LEBANON, Pa., Dec. 20.—  
Superstitious faith in a "pow-  
wow" doctor's incantations was  
held responsible today for an-  
other death—that of 4-month-  
old child of a 19-year-old  
mother.

Little Verling John Davis, in-  
fant son of Rankin and Verna  
Davis, became ill and friends  
advised the parents to con-  
sult a "pow-wow" doctor.

A Berks County man, noted in  
several counties where "pow-wow"  
is practiced extensively, was  
called. He performed his rites  
and recited his incantations. Sev-  
eral times he went through the

## Will Be Quizzed



Governor Henry S. Johnston, of  
Oklahoma, may be subjected to in-  
quiry in connection with the pro-  
posed impeachment proceedings  
against state officials when the  
Oklahoma legislature convenes in  
January, according to reports. His  
calling out of the national guard  
to prevent members of the legis-  
lature from meeting in the capitol  
for the attempted special session  
last year is one of the main rea-  
sons advanced for the scheduled  
inquiry.

## VILLAGE FIGHTING SMALLPOX WITHOUT HELP FROM OUTSIDE

Radio Fails; Nothing  
Heard From Dog  
Relief Team

CORDOVA, Alaska, Dec. 20.—  
The village of Holy Cross was  
fighting a smallpox epidemic to-  
day, apparently without aid or com-  
munication from the outside world.

Somewhere a driver and his dog  
team, carrying vaccine, may be  
floundering through the snow  
drifts or may already have arrived.  
For more than twenty-four hours  
static has prevented anyone from  
communicating with Holy Cross  
and there has been no indication  
of conditions in the town.

The driver, who left Anvik early  
Tuesday, was due in Holy Cross  
last night, but the lack of weather  
data, also caused by the failure of  
the radio, has aroused alarm  
throughout Alaska.

Many persons believe a blizzard,  
such as often thunders down along  
the Yukon, has turned the trails  
into almost impassable stretches of  
snow and ice.

Holy Cross is a town of 142 per-  
sons.

## CHICAGO'S MURDER TOLL EXCEEDS 1927

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—With eleven  
more shooting days until New  
Years, the homicide bureau an-  
nounced today that 479 persons  
have been murdered in Chicago al-  
ready this year.

In 1927 the grand total was 445,  
making the potential increase for  
1928 approximately forty.

This year's total is classified as  
follows:  
First degree murders, including  
the killing of twelve policemen, 245.  
Manslaughter, the result of fist  
fights or drunken brawls, sixty-two.  
Justifiable, killings in self-de-  
fense, 136.

Accidental, including the killing  
of innocent bystanders or victims  
of guns that were "not loaded," 36.

## ARREST GAMBLERS

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 20.—Po-  
lice resumed their campaign  
against race track bookmakers  
here yesterday and last night, ar-  
resting fourteen men, confiscating  
book-making paraphernalia and  
tearing unregistered phones from  
the walls.

## EXPECT 3,000,000 CASES IN COUNTRY BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Hits More Populous Cen-  
ters; Dying Out In  
Mid-west

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—  
With the wave of influenza  
steadily approaching the  
larger centers of population,  
public health service officials  
today predicted a total of 3-  
000,000 cases by Christmas.

Official reports received by the  
health service showed a total to-  
day of 141,977 actual cases report-  
ed by state authorities for the week  
ending December 15, but this was  
thought to be less than a fifth of  
the total, indicating about 1,000,000  
persons are now afflicted.

If the present rate is maintained,  
officials said, there probably will  
be 500,000 new cases total for the  
week ending December 22.

The epidemic virtually has  
reached its height in the farm belt  
states, officials said, since the  
cycle of disease from one community  
runs from three to six weeks. It is  
thought to have run its course in  
California where it was first noted.

Experts are agreed little can be  
done to halt an influenza epidemic  
until the cycle has expired.

Intensive experiments now are  
being made by the public health  
service on rabbits, monkeys and  
other animals in renewed efforts to  
determine the cause of the disease.  
Scientists believe the influenza  
germ may be too minute to observe  
with existing microscopes. It is  
suggested, also, that the germ goes  
through a cycle of change in form  
or growth, with varying effects on  
the victim.

Confusing results have been ob-  
tained from experiments in the  
past. Volunteers inoculated with  
influenza germs from persons hav-  
ing the disease have either failed  
to contract influenza or had only  
sore throat.

## CLAIM BODIES OF SIX MINERS

DRAKESBORO, Ky., Dec. 20.—  
Relatives today claimed the bodies  
of the six miners who were killed  
in a cave-in and explosion in the  
Black Diamond Coal Compa-  
ny mine near here Tuesday night.

The bodies were recovered by  
rescue crews late last night, after  
they spent the day vainly digg-  
ing through the debris, spurred on by  
the hope that the miners were  
still alive.

The victims are James Sullivan,  
mine foreman; Leonard Eppley,  
coal digger; Arthur Davis, coal  
digger; Roy Ezell, motorman; V.  
Neelson, drillman; and Cleveland  
Bolin, drillman.

## PIGGY WIGGLY MAN WEDS SECOND TIME

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—The Chicago  
Tribune today said that Clarence  
Saunders, chain store magnate of  
Memphis, was married here yes-  
terday afternoon to Miss Patricia  
Houston of Tunica, Miss.

Only a few friends witnessed the  
ceremony at the Chicago Temple,  
according to the Tribune.  
Saunders and his wife were said  
to be staying at a hotel here.

Saunders was divorced from his  
first wife, Carolyn, November 6.  
She charged him with cruelty.  
They had three children, Lee, 21,  
and Clay, 19, and Amy Clare, 17.

Saunders made millions when he  
founded the Piggy-Wiggly chain  
stores but crashed when he at-  
tempted to "bust Wall Street."  
Since then he has promoted an-  
other chain store system and is re-  
ported to have regained much of  
his fortune.

Saunders is forty-seven years old  
and his bride is twenty-nine.

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MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS



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MASSILLON, Dec. 20.—B. F. Clapper, a teller in the Ohio Merchants Trust Co. Bank, was held to the grand jury today under \$25,000 bond on a charge of embezzlement. Officials declare his books show a shortage of \$13,400.

# FILIBUSTER IS LAUNCHED STATE CLOSES OHIO BANK

## DIRECTORS REQUEST ACTION AS "RUN" FOLLOWS SUICIDE CASE

Alarm Develops After Director Takes Own Life;  
State Officials Hope To Re-Open  
Institution Soon.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 20.—The Amherst Savings and Banking Company at Amherst, Lorain County, was closed by the state banking department today.

The institution was closed at the request of the board of directors and was due to a run which followed the suicide of Jacob Baus, a director, Tuesday night.

Baus hanged himself, according to information received here.

E. H. Blair, superintendent of the bank which was organized in 1906.

It is capitalized at \$50,000 and carries about the same amount in surplus and reserve.

Total resources are \$1,300,000.

Blair was accompanied to Amherst by Charles G. Saffin, Jr., attorney for the banking department and Charles W. Miller, liquidating agent.

Examiner William J. Skehan has been investigating the bank's condition since Baus' death. He said the bank's affairs would be audited.

According to word received here from Blair, officials hope to work out a plan under which the institution will be reopened in six weeks.

William H. Schibley is president of the bank.

## HUSBAND IS ONLY BURDEN SAYS GILDA

And Gets Black Eye  
For Trouble Says  
Gil Boag

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 20.—Gilda Gray considers a husband the greatest burden an actress can have.

Miss Gray, who is here awaiting action on her divorce suit against Gil Boag, New York night club proprietor, indignantly denied she would marry C. D. Krepps, her manager, if she gets her divorce from Boag.

"I would never marry again," Miss Gray said. "It has been such a relief to go home after my work and not have to fear the entrance of a male brute and the terrifying thought 'he's drunk again.'"

When asked if it were true that Boag had helped her in her career as a dancer and motion picture actress, Miss Gray said:

"He has only lived off my earnings. His charges concerning my morals are an accurate indication of the elevation of his mind."

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Gil Boag, husband of Gilda Gray, held a party at his apartment last night at which he showed friends the Christmas present he received from Gilda.

It was a black eye.

Boag said two men stopped him outside a night club and said: "Gilda is sorry she can't get back here for Christmas, so she asked us to give you this."

Then, Boag said, one of the men struck him in the eye.

## VETERAN NEWS MAN DIES IN DELAWARE

DELAWARE, O., Dec. 20.—Funeral services will be held here tomorrow for Delos Richard Baker, 80, former managing editor of the Cincinnati Post, who died last night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Leonard, at Kibbourne, near here. He had been ill two weeks.

Baker served on the Post in the early 80's as a reporter, editorial and feature writer and exchanger and managing editor at different periods. He was the Post's Washington correspondent in the early 90's. He was also employed on the editorial staff of the Cincinnati Times-Star.

## GIRL LEAPS INTO WATER FROM LINER

CHERBOURG, France, Dec. 20.—Passengers arriving today aboard the liner Deutschland from New York said that a girl named Palma Kerestey, who had been studying piano in Chicago, jumped overboard and was drowned last Tuesday.

The body was not recovered.

A broken heart because she had to leave her sweetheart in America was blamed by some of the passengers for the act, but others said she was despondent because the alien law forced her to abandon her hopes of becoming a great pianist when the period she was allowed in America expired.

## He's Head of New York's Finest



Here is Grover A. Whalen, official greeter of distinguished visitors to America's shores, smiling characteristically as he prepares to take over the job of police commissioner of the city of New York. He resigned a position paying him \$100,000 a year to accept the post tendered him by Mayor Walker, which yields only \$10,000.

## GIRL OUTDISTANCES PURSUER IN STRANGE RACE OVER COUNTRY

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Dec. 20.—Miss Ruth McConnell, niece of Kenneth B. Coulter of New York, was driving near San Francisco this morning while Dr. D. O. Meeker of Buffalo, New York, pursuing her in an airplane, prevented him going beyond Salt Lake City.

Miss McConnell, traveling by fast train, passed through Reno, Nevada, at 11 p. m. yesterday. A few hours before, Meeker, after an airplane flight from Omaha, Nebraska, was forced to descend at Salt Lake City and was unable to secure a pilot who would carry on the pursuit of Miss McConnell's train in a night flight westward.

Miss McConnell's train is due in San Francisco at 8 a. m. today.

It was reported she was planning to catch a steamship from here for some destination not definitely known. Meeker, it was believed, would get away from Salt Lake this morning and probably could reach San Francisco before she could board any outgoing steamship.

The cause of the chase is as mysterious as it is dramatic. Miss McConnell is reported to have disappeared from her home three weeks ago. She was found in Omaha. Meeker reached Omaha just in time to learn that Miss McConnell had dashed to a railway station in a taxi-cab and caught a fast train for San Francisco.

Meeker chartered an airplane and sped westward, hoping to catch the train at Reno, Nevada, but darkness and the refusal of aviators to attempt a night flight, prevented him going beyond Salt Lake City.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Kenneth B. Coulter, whose niece, Miss Ruth McConnell, has thus far outdistanced Dr. D. O. Meeker of Buffalo and Rochester, N. Y., in a race to San Francisco, said today that he knew nothing whatever about the matter.

## RAILROADS PLAN TO TAKE EXPRESS CO.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—A committee of railway executives asked the Interstate Commerce Commission today to approve a proposed agreement under which railroads will take over and operate the American Railway Express Company. Railroads represented by the committee are the New York Central, Pennsylvania and the Atchafalpa, Topeka and Santa Fe.

The application said the railroad would acquire properties of the company by March 1, 1929, and operate it thereafter as a subsidiary agency of the railroads.

## SENTENCE STUDENT

CLEVELAND, Dec. 20.—Chester Hime, 20, former student at Ohio State University, must serve twenty years in the state penitentiary for robbery. He was convicted yesterday.

## BLAME FAITH IN POW-WOW DOCTOR FOR DEATH OF PENNSYLVANIA BABY

LEBANON, Pa., Dec. 20.—Superstitious faith in a "pow-wow" doctor's incantations was held responsible today for another death—that of a 4-month-old child of a 19-year-old mother.

Little Verling John Davis, infant son of Rankin and Verna Davis, became ill and friends advised the parents to consult a "pow-wow" doctor.

A Berks County man, noted in several counties where "pow-wow" is practiced extensively, was called. He performed his rites and recited his incantations. Several times he went through the

## Will Be Quizzed

## SENATORS KING AND NORRIS WILL DELAY NAVAL BILL ACTION

Toss Wrench Into Machinery Arranged By Truce

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—A two-man filibuster was started in the senate today against the neatly arranged truce of leaders who had planned immediate consideration of the naval cruiser building bill and delay until after Christmas of action on the Kellogg anti-war treaty.

The two men who disrupted the program of leaders are Senator George W. Norris, the Nebraska Republican and veteran head of the independent group of the senate, and Senator William H. King, Democrat, of Utah.

"I will talk until we adjourn Saturday if necessary to prevent adoption of the motion which has been made for consideration of the naval bill without consideration of the treaty," Norris told the United Press. "You can say they won't pass that motion by Saturday. I will not consent to taking up the navy bill until some arrangement is made to assure consideration and a vote on the anti-war treaty."

The dual inspection started late yesterday when Chairman Hale of the naval affairs committee moved that the senate make his navy bill the unfinished business.

At once Senator Curtis, vice president-elect and Republican floor leader, swung the senate into executive session to avoid a further row, and Hale's motion expired when the senate adjourned today. Hale announced he would renew his motion at the earliest opportunity, while Norris and King indicated their vocal chords were in good order and they intended to exercise them in the interest of the anti-war pact.

The filibuster is not expected to continue long. Some agreement satisfactory to the two insurgents is expected to be forthcoming from the leaders.

Delay in consideration of the peace pact was assented to by Chairman Borah of the foreign relations committee. Many senators had left for their homes to spend the holidays; a poll showed only ten votes against the pact while the navy bill seemed certain not to pass until the senate reconvened after the holidays.

Norris and King were strongly opposed to the navy measure. They are both understood to be in favor of the treaty, although neither is an administration supporter.

Sandwiched between these two lies over the navy bill and the treaty are the nomination of Roy O. West, as secretary of interior and the interior department appropriation bill which Senator Smoot of Utah wants to take up today.

Comparative peace exists in the house where the fourth appropriation bill of the season is ready for consideration. It is the state, justice, commerce and labor department's supply bill which is expected to be adopted without serious debate.

## YOUTHS FIRE CHURCH

WASHINGTON, C. H., Dec. 20.—Pleading not guilty to a charge of setting fire to Camp Grove Methodist Church, south of this city Monday night, Elmer Henington, 19, and Hollis Bowen, 21, both of near fronton, were bound over to the grand jury. Failing to furnish bond both were sent to jail. Henington said he was in the church but said the fire which he had built on the church floor was put out.

## DUKE STILL ILL

ANTIBES, France, Dec. 20.—The lung congestion of the Grand Duke Nicholas leader of the Russian White army and seriously ill at his home here, had diminished today but the condition of his heart continued to cause uneasiness.

## ARREST GAMBLERS

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 20.—Police resumed their campaign against race track bookmakers here yesterday and last night, arresting fourteen men, confiscating book-making paraphernalia and taking unregistered phones from the walls.

## AGED MAN KILLED

CHILLICOTHE, Dec. 20.—Geo. Schilling, 80, was killed by a train at Greys Hill, Pike County, yesterday.

## EXPECT 3,000,000 CASES IN COUNTRY BEFORE CHRISTMAS



WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—With the wave of influenza steadily approaching the larger centers of population, public health service officials today predicted a total of 3,000,000 cases by Christmas.

Official reports received by the health service showed a total today of 141,977 actual cases reported by state authorities for the week ending December 15, but that was thought to be less than a fifth of the total, indicating about 700,000 persons are now afflicted.

If the present rate is maintained, officials said, there probably will be 500,000 new cases total for the week ending December 22.

The epidemic virtually has reached its height in the farm belt states, officials said, since the cycle of disease from any community runs from three to six weeks. It is thought to have run its course in California where it was first noted.

Experts are agreed little can be done to halt an influenza epidemic until the cycle has expired.

Intensive experiments now are being made by the public health service on rabbits, monkeys, and other animals in an effort to determine the cause of the disease. Scientists believe the influenza germ may be too minute to observe with existing microscopes. It is suggested, also, that the germ goes through a cycle of change in form or growth, with varying effects on the victim.

Controlling results have been obtained from experiments in the past. Volunteers in contact with influenza germs from persons having the disease have either failed to contract influenza or had only sore throat.

## CLAIM BODIES OF SIX MINERS

DRAKESBORO, Ky., Dec. 20.—Relatives today claimed the bodies of the six miners who were killed in a cave-in and explosion in the Black Diamond Coal Company mine near here Tuesday night.

The bodies were recovered by rescue crews late last night, after they spent the day vainly digging through the debris, spurred on by the hope that the miners were still alive.

The victims are James Sullivan, mine foreman; Leonard Eppley, coal digger; Arthur Davis, coal digger; Roy Ezell, motorman; V. Nelson, drillman; and Cleveland Bollin, drillman.

## CHICAGO'S MURDER TOLL EXCEEDS 1927

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—With eleven more shooting days until New Year's, the homicide bureau announced today that 479 persons have been murdered in Chicago already this year.

In 1927 the grand total was 445, making the potential increase for 1928 approximately forty.

This year's total is classified as follows:

First degree murders, including the killing of twelve policemen, 245. Manslaughter, the result of fist fights or drunken brawls, sixty-two. Justifiable, killings in self-defense, 136.

Accidental, including the killing of innocent bystanders or victims of guns that were "not loaded," 36.

## WITCH DOCTOR TREATS CHILD FOR "OPENEMMA" WITH Strange Incantations; State Health Bureau Will Investigate.

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A Berks County man, noted in several counties where "pow-wow" is practiced extensively, was called. He performed his rites and recited his incantations. Several times he went through the

ceremonies which were supposed to cure the child of "openemma," the name he gave its illness.

From the time of the last "pow-wow" treatment, the baby was cared for only by his grandmother. After official investigation, a death certificate citing "marasmus" as the cause was issued. The state bureau of medical education and licensure was notified.

The baby's death followed within a few weeks that of Nelson A. Rehmyer, York County farmer, who was slain by three youths because he refused to give up a lock of his hair to break a "hex" or charm allegedly placed on them.





THIRTY PATIENTS  
BEING TREATED IN  
AIR-CURE HOSPITAL

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 19.—Dr. O. J. Cunningham's idea of how persons should be treated for diabetes and other kindred ailments is being carried out on thirty patients here.

That number has registered at his new air-cure sanitarium, which is a gigantic steel ball.

The Cunningham Sanitarium is a hospital for the treatment of diseases by oxygen-loaded air under pressure. It was financed by H. H. Timken, millionaire steel manufacturer of Canton, who became interested in the discoveries of Dr. Cunningham, of Kansas City, the inventor.

The ball itself is one of the most remarkable pieces of architecture in the world. The exterior is of fabricated steel providing an absolutely airtight shell. This shell is lined with four inches of concrete and pierced by glass-protected "portholes," to permit sunlight.

The patients enter through two sets of heavy steel doors which close behind them as securely as one of huge vaults in a federal reserve bank.

Large valves running up the diameter of the sphere permit the prepared air to enter.

The ball is constructed inside much like a miniature hotel. There are five floors with a stairway winding about a central elevator.

On the first floor is the attendant's compartments and a dining room. On the top floor, a parlor room for reading, games and radio.

Three large steel tanks connected to the spherical ward at the entrance are equipped internally after the fashion of a Pullman coach, with compartments at either end.

It is into these mysterious chambers one is supposed to enter suffering from neuritis, diabetes, gout, high blood pressure, anemia, rheumatism or some such malady, and walk out vastly relieved—or cured.

With the exception of the hospital administration building and receiving department itself, luxuriously and modernly appointed, this strange hospital looks more like some sort of a chemical manufacturing plant. The power house is in the rear, and has enough wheels and pumps and motors and other apparatus to run a fair sized factory.

Neither Dr. Cunningham nor his assistant C. W. Ufford will discuss the hospital.

Among several noted speakers

DISTRICT WELFARE CONFERENCE  
PLANNED FOR JANUARY 31 HERE

Louis Hammerle, superintendent of schools, has been made chairman of the Greene County committee which will make plans for a district child welfare conference in the First Methodist Episcopal Church here, January 31 under the direction of the Division of Charities, State Department of Public Welfare. The counties included in the Xenia district are Clinton, Fayette, and Greene.

The meeting in Xenia will be the third of a series of twenty-eight district conferences in various parts of the state in the spring of 1929, according to announcement by Miss Bell Greve, superintendent of the division of charities, Columbus. District conferences, eleven in number, held for the first time last year in Ohio, were attended by more than 2,000 persons.

The purpose of the conference is to create greater interest in social problems. The vast amount of juvenile delinquency and delinquency in the state has led the division of charities to believe that conditions merit the serious consideration of the people in every community and the building of a preventive program. The importance of preserving the integrity of the home as an institution for the prevention of juvenile delinquency and dependency will be stressed. The existing conditions, the present resources and the needs of every county will be outlined at the conference.

Among several noted speakers

ELEAZER

Miss Mary Smith, Dayton, who has been seriously ill with influenza, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hale and Kenneth Hale of Columbus called on Mrs. Mary Hartsook, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hartsook and Mr. and Mrs. Lorain Irwin, of Jeffersonville, Mrs. Floy Ferguson of Washington C. H., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Madoux, of Frankfort, O.

Mrs. Thomas Faulkner entertained fifteen women of the Farm Bureau Cooking School last Wednesday afternoon. Cottage cheese sandwiches and salad were served.

Mrs. James Murphy entertained the New Hope Aid Society at a covered dish dinner last Thursday.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at Public Sale on the Humphrey Farm, 4 miles southwest of Yellow Springs, farm borders on Xenia and Fairfield pikes, near Collins schoolhouse on Enon Road. Sale starts at 12 o'clock sharp on

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BRICK ICE CREAM  
XMAS TREE CENTER—Pistachio Nut and Vanilla.  
XMAS BELL CENTER—Maraschino Cherry with Almonds and Vanilla.  
HOLLY BRICK—2 layer Red Maraschino Cherry Cream with green mint cherries, and green pistachio with red Maraschino Cherries.  
MISTLETOE BRICK—2 layer Frozen Eggnog with white grapes, and green Pistachio with Green Cherries.  
TURKEY CENTER—Chocolate and Vanilla.  
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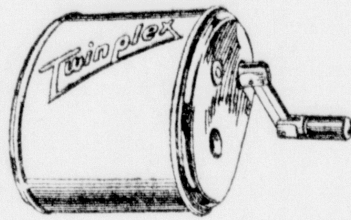
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\$1.00 Williams Set for Men with shaving cream, Aqua Velva talcum and soap. .... 89c  
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\$1.50 Colonial Club Men's Set containing shaving cream, lotion, talcum and styptic pencils. .... \$1.39  
Special .....  
Houbigant's Fougere Royale Men's Set with shaving cream, lotion, talcum ..... \$3.50  
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Assorted Hand Dipped Chocolates, packed in 5-pound Poinsetta box, each ..... \$1.98  
Assorted Chocolates, packed in 5-pound Holly box, each ..... \$1.69  
Assorted Hand Dipped Chocolates, packed in 3-pound Poinsetta box, each ..... \$1.49  
Elinor's Chocolate Butter Creams, Special Christmas package, 1-pound box ..... 60c  
Imported Solid Chocolate Christmas Tree Novelties, 27 pieces in box, per box ..... \$1.19  
Thinshell Candy, 1-lb. jar ..... 49c  
Thinshell Candy, 3-lb. jar ..... \$1.29  
Hershey Kisses, Special Christmas package, 1 1/2 lb. box ..... 69c  
Whitman's Sampler, 1-lb. box ..... \$1.50  
Whitman's Pleasure Island, 1-lb. box ..... \$1.50  
Whitman's Salamagundi, 1-lb. box ..... \$1.50  
Whitman's Fruit and Nuts, 1-lb. box ..... \$1.50  
Lowney's Silverline, 1-lb. box ..... \$1.00  
Lowney's Goldline, 1-lb. box ..... \$1.00  
Lowney's Goldstripe, 1-lb. box ..... 65c  
Lowney's Fancy Full, 2 lb. .... \$2.00  
Beechnut Fruit Cake, 1-lb. tin ..... \$1.39  
Beechnut Fruit Cake, 2-lb. tin ..... \$2.69  
Beechnut Fruit Cake, 5 lb. tin ..... \$6.49  
Sunbright Mixture, 75 per cent filled centers, lb. .... 29c  
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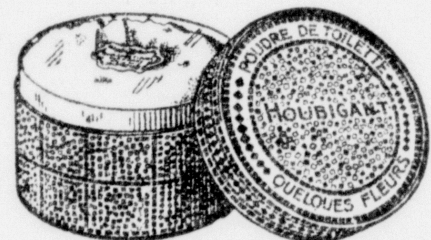
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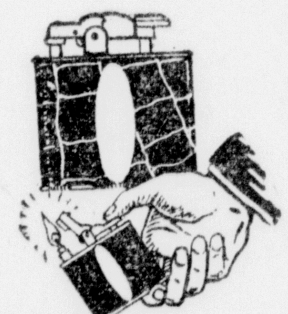


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Prince Albert, 16 oz. .... 95c  
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Velvet, 16 oz. .... 95c  
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THIRTY PATIENTS  
BEING TREATED IN  
AIR-CURE HOSPITAL

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 19.—Dr. O. J. Cunningham is treating 30 how persons should be treated for diabetes and other kindred ailments is being carried out on thirty patients here.

That number has registered at his new air-cure hospital, which is a gigantic steel ball.

The Cunningham Sanatorium is a hospital for the treatment of diseases by oxygen-loaded air under pressure. It was financed by H. H. Timken, millionaire steel manufacturer of Canton, who became interested in the discoveries of Dr. Cunningham, of Kansas City, the inventor.

The ball itself is one of the most remarkable pieces of architecture in the world. The exterior is of fabricated steel providing an absolutely airtight shell. This shell is lined with four inches of concrete and pierced by glass-protected "northsides," to permit sunlight.

The patients enter through two sets of heavy steel doors which close behind them as securely as one of huge vaults in a federal reserve bank.

Large valves running up the diameter of the sphere permit the prepared air to enter.

The ball is constructed inside much like a miniature hotel. There are five floors with a stairway winding about a central elevator.

On the first floor is the attendant's compartments and a dining room. On the top floor, a parlor room for reading, games and radio.

Three large steel tanks connected to the spherical ward at the entrance are equipped internally after the fashion of a Pullman coach, with compartments at either end.

It is into these mysterious chambers one is supposed to enter suffering from neuritis, diabetes, gout, high blood pressure, anemia, rheumatism or some such malady, and walk out vastly relieved—or cured.

With the exception of the hospital administration building and receiving department itself, luxuriously and modernly appointed, this strange hospital looks more like some sort of a chemical manufacturing plant. The power house is in the rear, and has enough wheels and pumps and motors and other apparatus to run a fair sized factory.

Neither Dr. Cunningham nor his assistant C. W. Ufford will discuss the hospital.



HATS THAT ARE  
DISTINCTLY NEW

Lovely new creations fresh from the hands of the designers! All of the style trends of the coming season are forecast in these hats of silk and satin that are designed for immediate wear.

Christmas  
Novelties  
EXQUISITE  
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VANITY CASES  
SILK AND VELVET  
FLOWERS  
And Other Gift Items

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Hat Shoppe  
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FLORIDA  
3 Through  
Trains  
Daily

ROYAL PALM  
All-Year—Daily  
Lv. Cincinnati (T) 7:30 AM (S) 8:30 AM  
Ar. Jacksonville 7:20 AM  
Ar. West Palm Beach 4:45 PM  
Ar. Miami 6:50 PM

PONCE DE LEON  
Effective January 1st  
Lv. Cincinnati (T) 7:40 PM (S) 8:40 PM  
Ar. Jacksonville 7:50 PM  
Ar. West Palm Beach 5:15 AM  
Ar. Miami 7:15 AM

Suwanee River Special  
Lv. Cincinnati (T) 9:40 PM (S) 10:40 PM  
Ar. Tampa 5:40 AM  
Ar. St. Petersburg 7:55 AM  
Ar. Bradenton 7:20 AM  
Ar. Sarasota 8:00 AM  
Ar. Venice 8:45 AM

Steaming Cars and Coaches on All-Year Royal Palm, Ponce de Leon and Suwanee River Special. Dining Cars Serving All Meals.

WINTER TOURIST TICKETS—On Sale Daily Oct. 1 to April 30. Final Limit June 15 to Florida Points, also to Arden, S. C., Augusta, Ga., Charleston, S. C., New Orleans, La., Savannah, Ga., Summerville, S. C., and other Tourist Points in the South.

HOMESEEKERS' FARES—Very low round trip fares from Cincinnati and Louisville to Florida and other points South every Tuesday.

Liberal Limits and Stop-over Privileges.  
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Cincinnati, O.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM

DISTRICT WELFARE CONFERENCE  
PLANNED FOR JANUARY 31 HERE

Louis Hammerle, superintendent of schools, has been made chairman of the Greene County committee which will make plans for a district child welfare conference in the First Methodist Episcopal Church here, January 31 under the direction of the Division of Charities, State Department of Public Welfare. The counties included in the Xenia district are Clinton, Fayette, and Greene.

The meeting in Xenia will be the third of a series of twenty-eight district conferences in various parts of the state in the spring of 1929, according to announcement by Miss Bell Greve, superintendent of the division of charities, Columbus. District conferences, eleven in number, held for the first time last year in Ohio, were attended by more than 2,000 persons.

The purpose of the conference is to create greater interest in social problems. The vast amount of juvenile delinquency and delinquency in the state has led the division of charities to believe that conditions merit the serious consideration of the people in every community and the building of a preventive program. The importance of preserving the integrity of the home as an institution for the prevention of juvenile delinquency and dependency will be stressed. The existing conditions, the present resources and the needs of every county will be outlined at the conference.

Among several noted speakers

will be Miss Bell Greve of Columbus. Round table discussions of local problems will be a feature of the program at the conference which is open to the public. Public officials, representatives of service clubs, ministers, educators, club women, members of the American Legion and social workers will be in attendance at the meeting.

Miss Beatrice Minnich of the division of charities, Columbus, in charge of the organization of the district conference was in Xenia Wednesday making plans for the meeting conference.

Miss Mary Smith, Dayton, who has been seriously ill with influenza, is improving.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Hale and Kenneth Hale of Columbus called on Mrs. Mary Hartsook, Sunday afternoon.  
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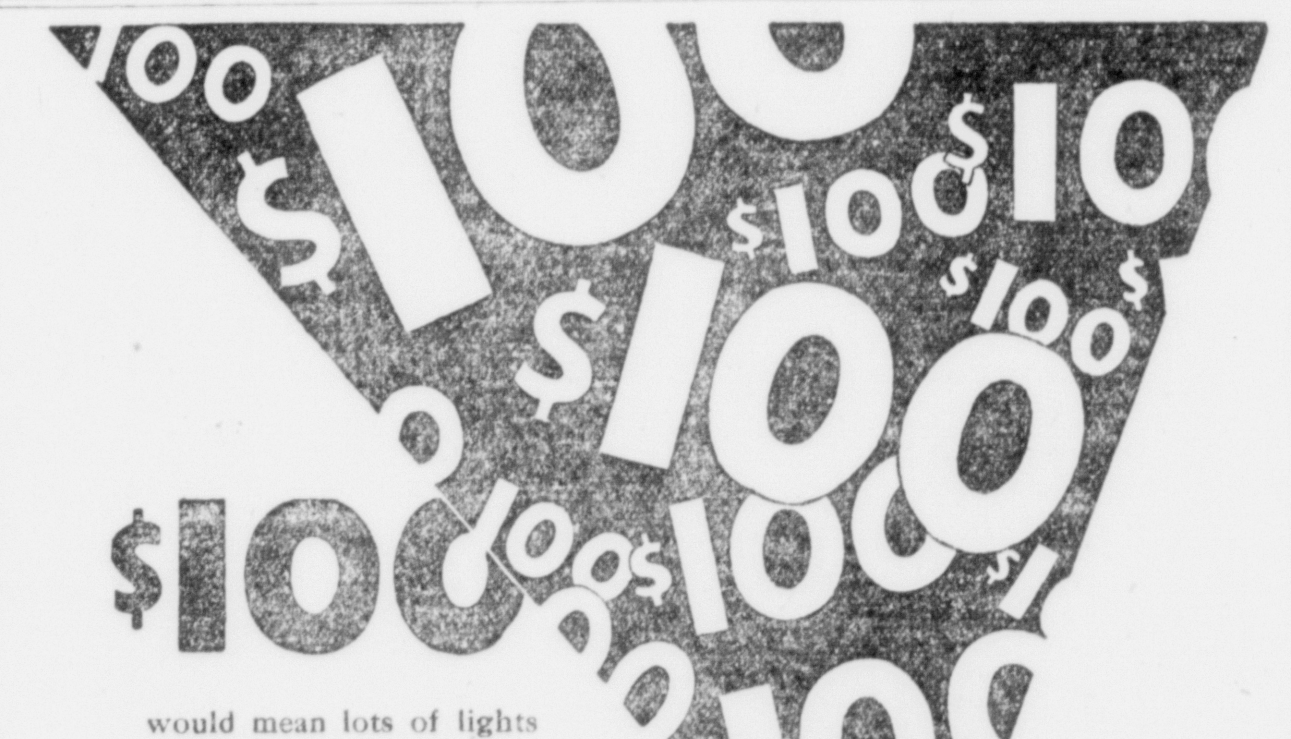
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PUBLIC SALE  
I will sell at Public Sale on the Humphrey Farm, 4 miles southwest of Yellow Springs, farm borders on Xenia and Fairfield pikes, near Collins schoolhouse on Enon Road. Sale starts at 12 o'clock sharp on  
SATURDAY, DEC. 22  
55 HEAD EXCELLENT DAIRY CATTLE  
Guernseys, Jerseys And Holsteins  
Quite a number of fresh, close springers and several giving heavy flow of milk, lot of nice heifers, one extra good full-blood Guernsey bull.  
Mr. Wilson has leased the farm, and this will be an opportunity to buy a lot of high-producing cows.  
W. H. WILSON  
Owner.  
Glenn Welkert, Auctioneer. W. F. Tuttle, Clerk.

Special Red Wing Ice Cream  
For The Holiday Season

INDIVIDUAL MOULDS  
SANTA CLAUS—Red and White—Maraschino Cherry with Almonds.  
XMAS BELLS—Red—Maraschino Cherry with Almonds with green trimming.  
STANDING OR STRUTTING TURKEYS—Chocolate on green base.  
APPLES—French Vanilla with pineapple fruit core tinted in natural colors.  
BRICK ICE CREAM  
XMAS TREE CENTER—Pistachio Nut and Vanilla.  
XMAS BELL CENTER—Maraschino Cherry with Almonds and Vanilla.  
HOLLY BRICK—2 layer Red Maraschino Cherry Cream with green mint cherries, and green pistachio with red Maraschino Cherries.  
MISTLETOE BRICK—2 layer Frozen Egg nog with white grapes, and green Pistachio with Green Cherries.  
TURKEY CENTER—Chocolate and Vanilla.  
PLUM PUDDING—(Solid Layer).  
Spumoni—Maraposas—Bisque Tortoni—Souffle Cups—Pecan Nut Rolls—Ice Cream Pies—Decorated Cakes.

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would mean lots of lights on the Christmas tree, lots of packages under it, a big brown turkey in the oven and much whoopee from the younger generation.

We are giving this extra \$100 to everyone who gets his new Super-Six now instead of waiting for the night before Christmas.

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Norida Aristocrat Compacts  
This unusual offering in Norida Vanities consists of both single and double compacts handsomely finished in gold or silver with the famous Aristocrat design. Powder and rouge to harmonize with any complexion. Single 59c. Double \$1.09.  
59c and \$1.09  
SATURDAY SPECIAL  
BREAD BOARDS  
These are made of three ply veneer with lacquered edges 19c

A HOST OF CHARMING GIFTS

FOR HIM  
Twinplex Stoppers  
Make old blades better than new—quickly. Four popular models.  
\$2.19, \$2.98, \$3.98  
\$4.98  
FOR HER  
Coty's Paris or L'Origan Gift Set containing face powder, talcum and perfume \$4.50  
Houbigant's Quelques Fleurs or Ideal Gift Set with perfume and double compact \$6.00  
Coty's L'Aienant, Paris or L'Origan Set containing perfume and compact \$3.50  
Richard Hudnut's LeDibut Perfumes in attractive gift packages of Black, Blue, Green and Blanc.

\$1.00 - \$3.75 - \$7.50 \$12.50

Woodworth's New Karess, double compact, book style, with case of German Silver in gift boxes \$2.50  
Richard Hudnut Three Flower Combination with Perfume, Toilet Water, Face Powder, Talcum and compact \$7.50  
Richard Hudnut's new Le Debut compact in attractive colors of Blue, Black, Green and Blanc for \$2.50 - \$5.00 - \$7.50 - \$10.00

Woodworth's Fiancee Gift Set, Face Powder, Toilet Water and Talcum \$3.50  
Hudnut's Three Flower, two-piece set of Toilet Water and Face Powder \$2.50  
Woodworth's Karess Perfume, in individual gift packages.

\$1 - \$2 - \$3.50

Hudnut's DuBarry Compacts, single and double in gift packages.

\$1.50 - \$2.50 - \$3.50 - \$5

Coty's Paris and L'Origan Perfume in gift packages of tan suede \$3.50  
Woodworth's Karess Gift combination of Perfume and Face Powder or Compact and Face Powder \$3.00  
Houbigant's Quelques Fleurs Perfume in individual gift packages.

\$1 - \$2 - \$4 - \$7.50

Sarou's Narcisse Noir Perfume in individual gift packages.

\$3.00 - \$4.50 - \$11.50

Houbigant's Quelques Fleurs or Ideal Dusting Powder, an ideal gift at \$1.50

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Dunhill lighters \$9.79  
Douglas lighters \$4.79-\$6.79  
Clark lighters \$4.79-\$6.79  
Nasco lighters \$1.98-\$2.49-\$2.98  
Thorens lighters \$2.49-\$3.79  
Ronsen lighters \$4.89-\$5.89-\$6.89  
Wales lighters \$4.79  
Trinagle Enamel \$3.89  
Fay \$1.00-\$1.49-\$1.69  
Shiek lighters .55c  
Ford-Pollak .89c  
Automobile Austrian Imported in plain and gun metal finish .49c  
Prince Albert, 8 oz. .49c  
Prince Albert, 16 oz. .95c  
Tuxedo, 8 oz. .45c  
Tuxedo, 16 oz. .89c  
Velvet, 8 oz. .49c  
Velvet, 16 oz. .95c  
Edgeworth, 8 oz. .61c  
Edgeworth, 16 oz. \$1.17

This Week's Candy Special

Hershey's Pure Milk Chocolate, per lb. .29c  
Assorted Hand Dipped Chocolates, packed in 5-pound Poinsetta box, each \$1.98  
Assorted Chocolates, packed in 5-pound Holly box, each \$1.69  
Assorted Hand Dipped Chocolates, packed in 3-pound Poinsetta box, each \$1.49  
Elinor's Chocolate Butter Creams, Special Christmas package, 1-pound box .60c  
Imported Solid Chocolate Christmas Tree Novelties, 27 pieces in box, per box \$1.19  
Thinshell Candy, 1-lb. jar .49c  
Thinshell Candy, 3-lb. jar \$1.29  
Hershey Kisses, Special Christmas package, 1 1-2 lb. box .69c  
Whitman's Sampler, 1-lb. box \$1.50  
Whitman's Pleasure Island, 1-lb. box \$1.50  
Whitman's Salamagundi, 1-lb. box \$1.50  
Whitman's Fruit and Nuts, 1-lb. box \$1.50  
Lowney's Silverline, 1-lb. box \$1.00  
Lowney's Goldline, 1-lb. box \$1.00  
Lowney's Goldstripe, 1-lb. box .65c  
Lowney's Fancy Full, 2 lb. \$2.00  
Beechnut Fruit Cake, 1-lb. tin \$1.39  
Beechnut Fruit Cake, 2-lb. tin \$2.69  
Beechnut Fruit Cake, 5 lb. tin \$6.49  
Sunbright Mixture, 75 per cent filled centers, lb. .29c  
Satin Finish, hard mixed, per lb. .19c  
French Creams, assorted, per lb. .19c  
New Crop Nuts in shell, fancy assortment, lb. .29c  
Maud Muller Candy packed as you like it.  
We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities

5c Federal Judge  
5c Bankable  
5c San Felice  
5c Baby Garcia  
5c Havana Ribbon



## Society-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visits through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette considers it a favor whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

### PARENT-TEACHER BODY HAS DINNER FOR CHILDREN

Sixty-six needy children of the city who are fed luncheons daily by the Federated Parent-Teacher Association of the city, were entertained at a Christmas party at Central High School, Thursday afternoon by the P.T.A.

Money for the dinner was obtained through donations of friends of the association. In addition to the fund allowed the organization by the Community Chest.

A delicious chicken dinner with all the trimmings was served the little folks by Mrs. Pearl Wolf, domestic science teacher at the school. Favors were found at each child's place and a merry time was spent at the tables.

The dinner was followed by a party when gifts from the students of the senior class were distributed to each child. The merry-making centered about a large Christmas tree which was festooned for the occasion.

### TRINITY CLASS HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY MONDAY

Mrs. G. W. Street received members of her Sunday School Class of Trinity M. E. Church at her home on E. Third St., Monday evening.

A Christmas program was arranged. Mrs. Albert Burrell and Mrs. Lawrence Luttrell both gave readings.

The class decided to place a Christmas tree in the Infirmary hospital for the pleasure of the inmates. Members appointed on this committee were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Moore and Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Jones.

Following the program, a Christmas parcel exchange was enjoyed and a gift from the class was presented Mrs. Street.

Delicious refreshments were served.

### VICTORS' CLASS ENJOYS MEETING

Members of the Victors' Class of the Reformed Church enjoyed a covered dish supper at the home of Miss Lucille Stroup, Tuesday evening.

Following the supper the guests exchanged Christmas gifts.

Those who attended the affair were: Mrs. John Eavey, Martha Jean Eavey, the Misses Martha Conklin, Naomi Ford, Thelma Glenn, Louise Thomas, Marjorie Jones, Virginia Guyton, Margaret Linkhart, Alice Hagler, Olive White, Clara Merriman, Edith Kogler, Dena Watkins, Thelma Kahlmeister, Margaret Neeld, Helen Conklin, Miss Beebe and the hostess.

Miss Margaret Kampman, student at the College of Mount St. Joseph, Mount St. Joseph, O., will arrive Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kampman, W. Third St.

Miss Mary Elizabeth McElree, student at Monmouth College, Monmouth, Ill., is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. McElree.

Junior Smith, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Roy Smith, Hill St., is severely ill with influenza and congestion of the lungs and Mrs. Smith is also ill with influenza.

Bobby Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaw, Hill St., is ill with a severe attack of grip.

Mr. H. E. Schmidt, Jr., student at Massanutten Military Academy at Woodstock, Va., arrived home, Wednesday morning to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Schmidt, W. Third St.

Mr. Donald Currie, Cleveland, arrived here Tuesday night to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Currie, W. Church St. Mr. Lawrence Currie, also of Cleveland, will arrive Saturday.

Mr. Louis Buell, student at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, has arrived home to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Buell, 7 o'clock. Members are asked to be prompt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Arbogast, N. King St., will have as their Christmas holiday guests, Mrs. E. S. Barnum and daughters, Fayette and Dudley of Greenwich, Conn., who will arrive here Saturday.

Trinity M. E. Church choir will meet for final rehearsal of the Christmas music Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Members are asked to be prompt.

Mrs. Otis Faughn, New Jasper, underwent a serious operation at the McClellan Hospital Monday morning. Her condition is reported as favorable.

Funeral services for Mr. Howard Norris will be held at the home on Hill St., Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Friends may call any time Thursday evening. Burial will be made in Woodland Cemetery, Mrs. Norris and her grandson, Norris Brown, arrived home from Delano, Fla., Wednesday.

Mrs. Herman C. Marmon of Mowrystown, O., is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Hannah D. Marmon, Supt. Marmon will arrive here Saturday.

Miss Margaret Considine left for Denver, Colo., Wednesday night where she was called by the serious illness of her brother, Francis Considine.

Miss Louise Wood arrived home Thursday from Miami University, Oxford, O., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wood, W. Main St.

Dr. Wilbur Zell, Springfield Pike, is confined to his home with an attack of quinsy.

The Sunday School of Old Town M. E. Church will present a Christmas entertainment Sunday at 1:30 p. m. A "treat" will be given the children. Preaching by the Rev. Edward Wones will begin at 2:30.

## In The Editor's Mail

Letters submitted for publication in this forum must be properly signed by the writer although the name will not be published if its suppression is requested. Opinions expressed are those of the writer and this newspaper does not accept responsibility for them.

### SEEKS RELATIVES

Dec. 18, 1928.

The Gazette Publishing Company, Xenia, Ohio.

Gentlemen:

I would like very much to hear from relatives of my husband, Charles Henry Sullivan, Mr. Sullivan died on the 13th inst., and as

I understand it, his relatives live in, or near Xenia, Ohio.

I will appreciate a small notice, to this effect, in your paper.

Thanking you, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Clara McIntosh Sullivan, Box 3342,

West Monroe, La.

## Farm Notes

### LITTLE ACCOUNTING

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 19.—Two minutes a day devoted to book-keeping will keep the accounts of the average farm, R. C. Smith, agricultural extension agent of Darke County declares.

"And somehow," Smith said, "the farms on which such accounts are kept show remarkable gains in the labor incomes to their owners."

Early this year Smith held in his county nine schools for beginners in account keeping, and started ninety-eight farmers at the practice.

On the average farm, according to Smith not more than four or five transactions involving cash expenditures or receipt are likely to occur on any one day, and if the account-book is handy, two minutes time will set them down.

"Keeping books will not directly alter the amount of money which the farmer receives for his day's work, but accounts of hundreds of Ohio farms kept through the past few years show the farmer who does keep track has more money in the bank at the end of the year than the farmer who keeps no accounts."

A Franklin County farmer is

said to have started keeping accounts on a 100-acre farm four years ago. His labor income the first two years was \$1107 a year. Last year it was \$2255. The increase came about when he discovered from his records that by increasing the number of cows on his farm he could profitably increase the volume of his business—an important factor.

J. C. Neff, of the rural economics department of Ohio State University, declared that "only through keeping accurate farm records can a farmer determine the profitable combination of enterprises which he should engage in."

## JOHN A. SIMISON CALLED BY DEATH

John A. Simison, well known Xenian, died at his home on Dayton Ave., Thursday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock.

Mr. Simison had been in ill health for some time. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Orpha M. Simison and the following children, John A. Simison, Jr., and Jennings Simison, this city, Mrs. Harry McCurdy, Mrs. Ruth Fisher and Mrs. Esie Brown of Los Angeles, Cal. Another daughter, Eleanor, died two years ago.

Funeral arrangements have not been made. Mr. Simison was employed in the ticket office of the Dayton and Xenia Traction Line and previously was connected with the Xenia Shoe Manufacturing Co.

## Don't Let That Cold Turn Into "Flu"

That cold may turn into "Flu," Grippe or, even worse, Pneumonia, unless you take care of it at once.

Rub Musterole on the congested parts and see how quickly it brings relief as effectively as the messy old mustard plaster.

Musterole, made from pure oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other simple ingredients, is a counter-irritant which stimulates circulation and helps break up the cold.

You will feel a warm tingle as it enters the pores, then a cooling sensation that brings welcome relief.

Jars & Tubes  
**MUSTEROLE**  
WILL NOT BLISTER  
Better than a mustard plaster

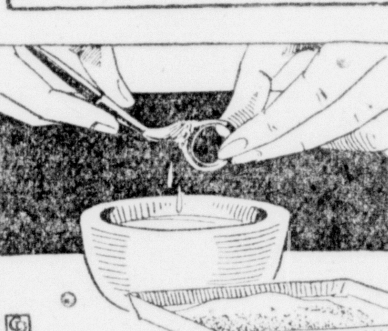
### Audition Winners



A \$5,000 prize each and two years' scholarship in any American musical academy—that was what fell into the hands of pretty Hazel C. Arth and Donald Novis, winners of the 1928 national radio audition. They were snapped as they received the prizes.

**SOUDERS' EXTRACTS**  
Made since 1876  
**PURE JELLIES**  
As good as old  
Jas. Royal Remedy & Ex  
DAYTON OHIO

### Wife Preservers



For cleansing diamonds use soft soap in a wooden bowl and a soft, water-proof brush. Shake water out and drop into jeweler's sawdust to dry.

### Christmas Gift Selections

The latest square silk mufflers, \$1.49 to \$3.98. All latest colors. 1500 boxes fine handkerchiefs, Ladies' and Men's 25c to \$1.49 Box.

### C. A. Kelble's CLOTHING STORE



**Men's and Boys' Sheep-lined Coats \$5.98 to \$12.48**  
Also Corduroy Coats  
Leather Coats \$8.95 to \$16.49  
Men's And Young Men's Fine Suits and Overcoats \$24.90, As Low As \$12.48

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### Largest Shoe Department in Xenia

All latest styles footwear for everybody. House slippers all kinds 49c to \$2.98.

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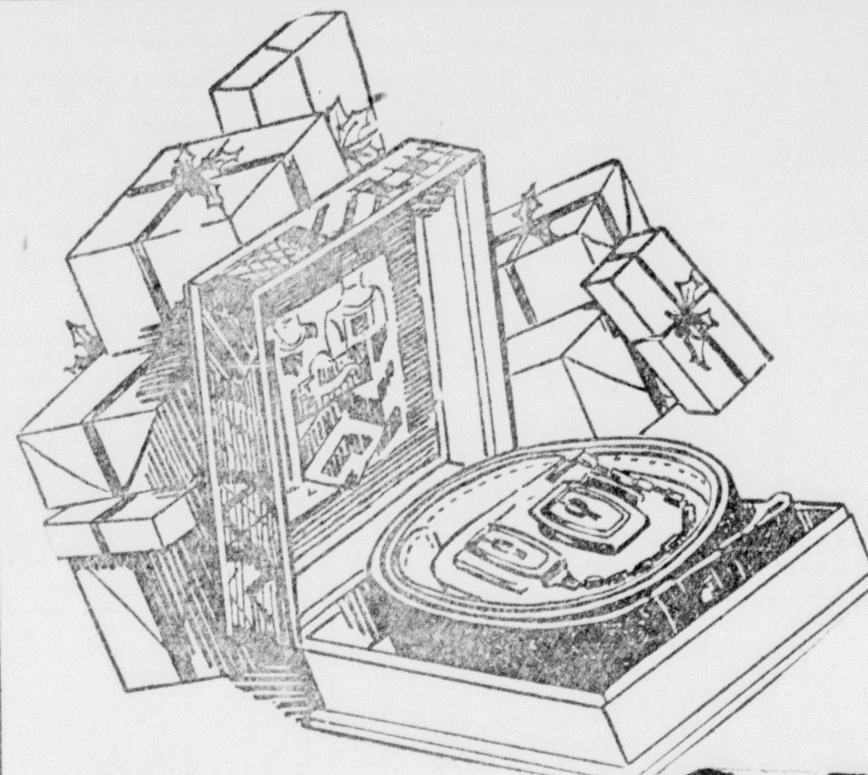
Leather Coats

Fancy Silk Socks

Warm Dress Gloves

Manhattan Shirts

Beautiful Neckwear



### The Criterion Value First Clothiers

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## Christmas Dainties



Everything for your table for Christmas and the holidays and everything of finest quality! When you order here you know it will be the best the market affords.

### TEA GARDEN PRESERVES

A full line of these delicious preserves, including Strawberry, Cherry, Raspberry, etc.

### CHRISTMAS CANDIES

Boxed or in Bulk

### NUTS - DATES - FIGS

ORANGES, TANGERINES, GRAPES, BIG PLUMP RAISINS, FANCY STUFFED DATES

### FINE FRESH OYSTERS

## FETZ BRO'S

100 S. Detroit St.

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### FRESH ROASTED COFFEE

The best in the city at this price. Try it—see how good it is, lb. 35c to 55c

## A Few Of The Services You Will Receive By Being A Member Of The Automobile Club

The Emergency Road Service. Any member of the Greene County Automobile Club whose car may be disabled on the road will get immediate response by calling one of our Official Garages and if the garage is unable to fix you up within thirty minutes they will tow you in to their garage for the price of \$1.00. This does not mean that the garage which towed you in shall do your work on your car unless you wish for them to do it. This service is guaranteed by this Club any place in the State of Ohio and furthermore the service can be had in other states in the Union where Official Garages are established.

\$25.00 Bond Card. Every member of the Greene County Automobile Club is bonded by the Club for the sum of \$25.00 for their appearance in court for any violation of the Motor Vehicle Laws. This is a very important feature of our service and one a great many of our members are taking advantage of. Many automobile owners have been unjustly arrested and paid their fines because it was the easiest way out for them. Also motorists have paid money to officers when they were not positive they had a right to enforce the law. Bring these matters to the attention of the Secretary of the Greene County Automobile Club and you will get a square deal every time.

Touring Service free to members only. Dependable up-to-the-minute, touring information is given out by this club as well as the other Clubs which are connected with the American Automobile Association. This information is received daily from the National Headquarters as well as from State Headquarters.

Free Gasoline Delivery and tire service for lady members only, between the hours of 8:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m., any place within the corporation limits. To get this service call the Automobile Club, phone 888.

Automobile Accidents will be investigated by the Club and free legal advice given on same. This is to members only.

Stolen Cars. We keep a complete record of our members cars and offer a reward for the finding of same as well as for the arrest and conviction of any person stealing a member's car. Also notices of stolen cars are sent out free of charge to the Police Departments and Sheriffs offices throughout the state.

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## Society-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them know of your visits through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette considers it a favor whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

### PARENT-TEACHER BODY HAS DINNER FOR CHILDREN

Sixty-six needy children of the city who are fed lunches daily by the Federated Parent-Teacher Association of the city, were entertained at a Christmas party at Central High School, Thursday afternoon by the P.T.A.

Money for the dinner was obtained through donations of friends of the association, in addition to the fund allowed the organization by the Community Chest.

A delicious chicken dinner with all the "trimmings" was served the little folks by Mrs. Pearl Wolf, domestic science teacher at the school. Favors were found at each child's place and a merry time was spent at the tables.

The dinner was followed by a party when gifts from the students of the senior class were distributed to each child. The merry-making centered about a large Christmas tree which was festooned for the occasion.

### TRINITY CLASS HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY MONDAY

Mrs. G. W. Street received members of her Sunday School Class of Trinity M. E. Church at her home on E. Third St., Monday evening.

A Christmas program was arranged. Mrs. Albert Jurell and Mrs. Lawrence Luttrell both gave readings.

The class decided to place a Christmas tree in the Infirmary hospital for the pleasure of the inmates. Members appointed on this committee were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Moore and Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Jones.

Following the program, a Christmas parcel exchange was enjoyed and a gift from the class was presented Mrs. Street.

Delicious refreshments were served.

### VICTORS' CLASS ENJOYS MEETING

Members of the Victors' Class of the Reformed Church enjoyed a covered dish supper at the home of Miss Lucille Stroup, Tuesday evening.

Following the supper the guests exchanged Christmas gifts.

Those who attended the affair were: Mrs. John Eavey, Martha Jean Eavey, the Misses Martha Conklin, Naomi Ford, Thelma Glenn, Louise Thomas, Marjorie Jones, Virginia Guyton, Margaret Linkhart, Alice Hagler, Olive White, Clare Merriman, Edith Koogler, Dena Watkins, Thelma Mahmeister, Margaret Neeld, Helen Conklin, Miss Beebe and the hostess.

Miss Margaret Kampman, student at the College of Mount St. Joseph, Mount St. Joseph, O., will arrive Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kampman, W. Third St.

Miss Mary Elizabeth McElree, student at Monmouth College, Monmouth, Ill., is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. McElree.

Junior Smith, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Smith, Hill St., is severely ill with influenza and congestion of the lungs and Mrs. Smith is also ill with influenza.

Bobby Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaw, Hill St., is ill with a severe attack of grip.

Mr. H. E. Schmidt, Jr., student at Massanutten Military Academy at Woodstock, Va., arrived home, Wednesday morning to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Schmidt, W. Third St.

Mr. Donald Currie, Cleveland, arrived here Tuesday night to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Currie, W. Church St. Mr. Lawrence Currie, also of Cleveland, will arrive Saturday.

Mr. Louis Buell, student at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, has arrived home to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Buell, 7 o'clock. Members are asked to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Arbogast, N. King St., will have as their Christmas holiday guests, Mrs. E. S. Barnum and daughters, Fayette and Dudley of Greenwich, Conn., who will arrive here Saturday.

Trinity M. E. Church choir will meet for final rehearsal of the Christmas music Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Members are asked to be prompt.

Mrs. Otis Ebaugh, New Jasper, underwent a serious operation at the McClellan Hospital Monday morning. Her condition is reported as favorable.

Funeral services for Mr. Howard Norris will be held at the home on Hill St., Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Friends may call any time Thursday evening. Burial will be made in Woodland Cemetery. Mrs. Norris and her grandson, Norris Brown, arrived home from Deland, Fla., Wednesday.

Mrs. Herman C. Marmon of Mowbrystown, O., is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Hannah D. Marmon. Supt. Marmon will arrive here Saturday.

Miss Margaret Considine left for Denver, Colo., Wednesday night where she was called by the serious illness of her brother, Francis J. Considine.

Miss Louise Wood arrived home Thursday from Miami University, Oxford, O., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wood, W. Main St.

Dr. Wilbur Zell, Springfield Pike, is confined to his home with an attack of quinsy.

The Sunday School of Old Town M. E. Church will present a Christmas entertainment Sunday at 1:30 p. m. A "treat" will be given the children. Preaching by the Rev. Edward Wones will begin at 2:30.

## In The Editor's Mail

Letters submitted for publication in this column must be properly signed by the writer although the name will not be published if its suppression is requested. Opinions expressed are those of the writer and this newspaper does not accept responsibility for them.

### SEEKS RELATIVES

Dec. 18, 1928.  
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Xenia, Ohio.

I would like very much to hear from relatives of my husband, Charles Henry Sullivan. Mr. Sullivan died on the 13th inst., and as

I understand it, his relatives live in, or near Xenia, Ohio.

I will appreciate a small notice, to this effect, in your paper.

Thanking you, I am

Yours very truly,  
Mrs. Clara McIntosh Sullivan,  
Box 3343,  
West Monroe, La.

## Farm Notes

### LITTLE ACCOUNTING

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 19.—Two minutes a day devoted to book-keeping will keep the accounts of the average farm, R. C. Smith, agricultural extension agent of Darke County declares.

"And somehow," Smith said, "the farms on which such accounts are kept show remarkable gains in the labor incomes to their owners."

Early this year Smith held in his county nine schools for beginners in account keeping, and started ninety-eight farmers at the practice.

On the average farm, according to Smith not more than four or five transactions involving cash expenditures or receipts are likely to occur on any one day, and if the account book is handy, two minutes time will set them down.

"Keeping books will not directly alter the amount of money which the farmer receives for his day's work, but accounts of hundreds of Ohio farms kept through the past few years show the farmer who does keep track has more money in the bank at the end of the year than the farmer who keeps no accounts."

A Franklin County farmer is

said to have started keeping accounts on a 100 acre farm four years ago. His labor income for the first two years was \$110; a year later it was \$225. The increase came about when he discovered from his records that by increasing the number of cows on his farm he could profitably increase the volume of his business—an important factor.

J. C. Neff, of the rural economics department of Ohio State University, declared that "only through keeping accurate farm records can a farmer determine the profitable combination of enterprises which he should engage in."

### JOHN A. SIMISON CALLED BY DEATH

John A. Simison, well known Xenian, died at his home on Dayton Ave., Thursday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock.

Mr. Simison had been ill in health for some time. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Orpha M. Simison and the following children, John A. Simison, Jr., and Jennings Simison, this city, Mrs. Harry McCurdy, Mrs. Ruth Fisher and Mrs. Edna Brown of Los Angeles, Cal. Another daughter, Eleanor, died two years ago.

Funeral arrangements have not been made. Mr. Simison was employed in the ticket office of the Dayton and Xenia Traction Line and previously was connected with the Xenia Shoe Manufacturing Co.

### Don't Let That Cold Turn Into "Flu"

That cold may turn into "Flu," Grippe or, even worse, Pneumonia, unless you take care of it at once.

Rub Musterole on the congested parts and see how quickly it brings relief as effectively as the messy old mustard plaster.

Musterole, made from pure oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other simple ingredients, is a counter-irritant which stimulates circulation and helps break up the cold.

You will feel a warm tingle as it enters the pores, then a cooling sensation that brings welcome relief.

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### Audition Winners



Mr. George Prugh, son of Mayor and Mrs. J. W. Prugh, N. Galloway St., has arrived home from the University of Tennessee to spend the Christmas holidays. The school was closed last Saturday because of the prevalence of influenza.

Miss Evelyn Perrill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Perrill, N. King St., arrived home Wednesday from Adrian College, Adrian, Mich., to remain until January 8.

Miss Louise Miller, student at Heidelberg University, Tiffin, O., arrived home Wednesday for the holidays with her parents, Attorney and Mrs. W. L. Miller.

Miss Barbara Little of Wellesley will arrive Friday to spend the Christmas vacation at her home on N. King St.

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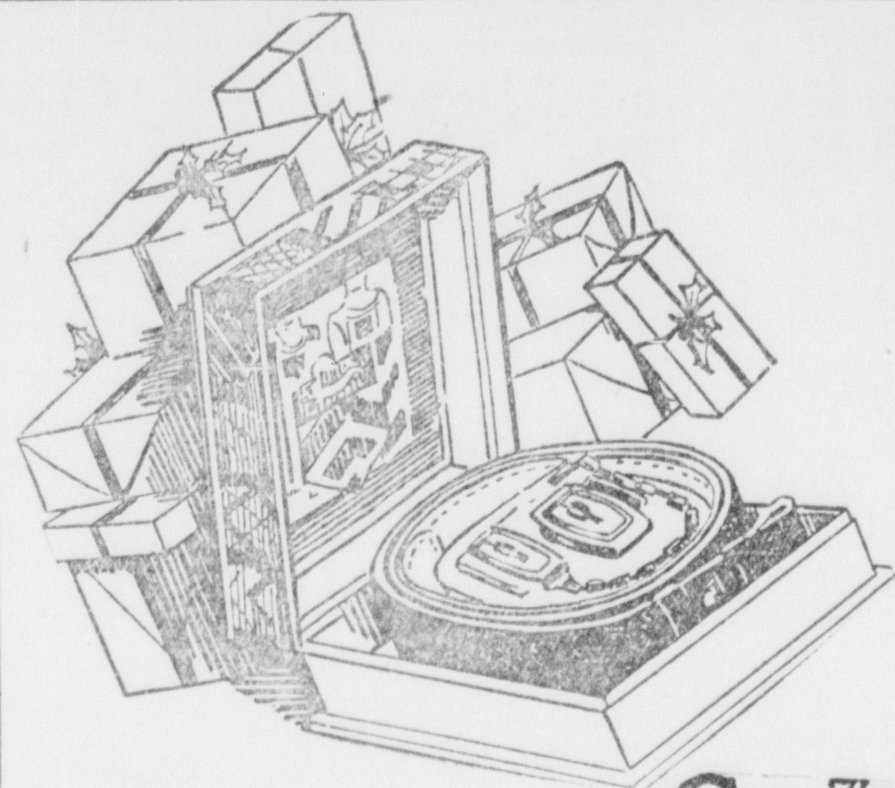
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\$25.00 Bond Card. Every member of the Greene County Automobile Club is bonded by the Club for the sum of \$25.00 for their appearance in court for any violation of the Motor Vehicle Laws. This is a very important feature of our service and one a great many of our members are taking advantage of. Many automobile owners have been unjustly arrested and paid their fines because it was the easiest way out for them. Also motorists have paid money to officers when they were not positive they had a right to enforce the law. Bring these matters to the attention of the Secretary of the Greene County Automobile Club and you will get a square deal every time.

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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

GOD'S COMSTANCY—For the mountains shall depart, and the hills be removed; but my kindness shall not depart from thee, neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed, saith the Lord that hath mercy on thee.—Isa. 54:10.

## "RELIC OF HORSE-BACK DAYS"

The 1928 Presidential campaign, in every phrase from party conventions to election, has proved the American system of choosing an executive to be antiquated, ridiculous and ready for the discard, in the opinion of Victor Rosewater, former chairman of the Republican National Committee and one of the country's closest political observers.

Mr. Rosewater, calls the existing campaign formalities, particularly the four-month campaign period and the acceptance speeches of the successful candidates "relics of post-chaise days."

The modern party convention, he asserts, has evolved into a political circus; its business could be transacted as efficiently in one or two days as in the week or more now devoted to exhibitionism. With the radio, motion pictures and modern newspapers the country can be informed on issues as thoroughly in one month as in the four months now consumed in a campaign, he believes.

Particularly, Mr. Rosewater believes, the spirit engendered at party convention needs "debunking."

"Does anyone swallow the fulsome praise of nominating speakers without many grains of salt?" he asks. "Are any votes changed by convention hall oratory? Is it not a fact that all business transacted in the average convention can be done perhaps most expeditiously in one day? Once a convention is located—for a consideration—it becomes a moral obligation to keep it there long enough to permit of reimbursement, which calls for a program prepared primarily to consume this."

"It has been suggested by Dr. Albert Shaw that holding the conventions too far in advance of election is responsible for an unnecessarily long, delaying and expensive campaign, and that the remedy lies in postponement to September. In this he is eminently correct. The July nominating convention is a survival of horse-back days when it took weeks to assemble delegates. All the preliminaries of delegate choosing could be carried through easily in a month, and the September nominations would leave ample time to canvass the voters."

It is not likely that this attack by Mr. Rosewater will change things by the time the next convention rolls around, but perhaps some of his ideas are worth thinking about. Just because things have always been done in a certain way is no reason for continuing them just that way.

## SHIPLOADS OF SKULL CRACKERS

Most of us realize pretty well that law-observance is not one of our nation's leading virtues, and that the police, accordingly, are kept pretty busy; but did you ever know that the wood out of which policemen's clubs are made comes into the country in full shiploads?

Well, it does. The docks of the Bush Terminal, in Brooklyn, receive ship after ship from the West Indies, loaded with lignum vitae—the hardest, heaviest wood obtainable—which is shipped from there to the factories where nightsticks are made.

This wood is so heavy it will not float in water. It takes a fine polish, and is so tough that it can make an impression on the thickest skull of the toughest criminal in the country.

And the country's cops are so busy that it comes in by the shipload!

## The Way of the World

By GROVE PATTERSON

## TERRIFYING

Be sure that the man who likes to terrify others, to make others fear him, is the man who himself lives in fear. Cruelty may be the sign of a cowardly nature. Men who are really fearful prefer to disguise their fears by appearing to be "crudely bold."

## COURTESY

If employers knew how their stores or offices or plants are judged by the attitude of their employees they would be more careful than some of them are in teaching those who represent them to be courteous. Probably courtesy brings as much business as sound goods and efficiency.

## NOT TO BE CRITICISED

Don't ever criticise a man who has not had the advantage of a school or college education. There are always good reasons for not blaming him. In the first place the best part of education is something that one can get without going to school and something that many have who never had the opportunity to study books. Somewhere they have learned modesty and gentleness and courtesy and a thoughtful attitude toward this curious life we are in. They have both education and culture. And even if a man has not these qualities he ought not to be condemned. For if he has no education at all, he probably appreciates and regrets that fact more than anybody.

## WHY FEAR DEATH?

The natural process of life includes death. The body finally succumbs to the wear and tear of life and it is a normal thing that it should. Death is as natural as going to sleep. If we do thoughtfully and serenely what we have to do in this active sphere in which we move about, why fear the next normal step?

## IT'S WORTH THE PRICE

One of the most helpful signs of the times is the fact that cities are more given to passing bond issues for millions than they used to be. It was once pretty hard for the forward-looking, progressive citizens of a community to get their less clear-eyed brothers to vote for any sort of improvement that would mean a few dollars more on the tax rate. But times are changing. Men think more—not only for themselves, but of their children and the future of the community. They are beginning to be willing to pay the price of community well being. It is a very hopeful sign of the times.

## The Diary of a New Yorker

By WALTER WINCHELL

NEW YORK. — Among other amusing episodes unfolded in the Longacre sector is one concerning Jesse J. Eldot, a prosperous printer, whose biggest kick comes from giving away money to those he likes. Mr. Eldot is incessantly throwing respectable parties, to which he invites his intimates, and they always come away loaded with gold coins. A few years ago he prepared his will, and the beneficiaries were his closest pals.

One of them was Keley Allen, the critic. Shortly after the will was made Eldot took violently ill, but recovered. Jess Dandy, the actor, died shortly after. Al Sanders, another theatrical man, succumbed. Jack Gleason, also named in the will, died, and the others started to complain about their health. Even Eldot's pet dog died, and Keley Allen got sick for the first time in his life. So Allen urged Mr. Eldot to strike his name out of the will, which was done, and two days later he was well again.

## SUPPOSIN'

Now just supposin' we had never met.  
Our lips not kissed, our hands not wrenched apart!  
Why, just supposin' we had never loved,  
How would I ever know I had a heart?  
—Jean Douglas.

## THEATER GUILD TRIUMPH

Maurice Browne and Robert Nichols have provided the Theater Guild with an unusual and highly engrossing new play, "Wings Over Europe." It is christened, and it is given elegant direction by Rouben Mamoulian, who was dragged from the wings by one of the collaborating stars of the thrilling proceedings at the Martin Beck theater to acknowledge the hand-clapping. There were some cheers, too, when the last asbestos dropped on the incessantly arresting mellow drama, and not a few of them were for the womanless cast of 14, all of whom contributed handsomely to the novel event.

"Wings Over Europe" is fashioned from a most entrancing year. The theme concerns a 25-year-old genius, inspired by Shelley and Maxwell, who perfects an invention which could destroy the universe. A man, posterous and absurd idea, unambiguously declares the British cabinet, before whom the young Einstein brings his startling and amazing revelation. After urging him to abandon and destroy his "secret" they threaten to confine him where he no longer may serve humanity and practice his deadly magic, but he is determined to "build a house for man."

## NEWSPAPERMAN STUFF

Even Balzac sympathized with the reporter who is damned if he prints it and damned if he doesn't. He once scribbled: "Whoever has dipped into Journalism or is still in it lies under the hard necessity of howling to men he despises, smiling upon his worst enemy, consorting with the rankest baseness and dirtying his fingers in his struggle to pay his adversaries in their own coin."

## SURE ENOUGH

Alexander Woolcott, to hear them tell it, was a fearless dramatic critic because he knew What He Liked and so stated in the paper. They add, however, that when he was a critic it was feared, for if he were found murdered, at least two thousand people would have been held under suspicion.

## LAND NOBODY OWNS

How to collect taxes from a land that nobody owns and yet is occupied, is puzzling the Mayo county council of Ireland. In Letterick, North Mayo, are 2,291 acres, the owner of which cannot be found. It is mostly mountainous land and useless as to farming. A group of farmers are using it to graze cattle. The council cannot collect taxes from them, because they are not the legal rated occupiers.

## APPRECIATION

A group of American tourists were being taken through the National Gallery in London. In one alcove was a giant-sized picture of one of the saints suffering the agonies of martyrdom. A reverent hush fell over the group as they stood before the painting. Then one of them, with a loud checked suit and a derby hat looked over one ear, remarked: "Gee, don't that guy look miserable!"

## THE PLEASURE OF GIVING



## Behind the Scenes in Washington

By CHARLES P. STEWART

WASHINGTON.—The South Americans cannot starve our president-elect at the ports visited by the Maryland and the Utah, because he always can call for a snack on returning to their hospitable decks, if the native chuck was otherwise than to his liking.

So far as menus go, Mr. Hoover will not see much difference between the layouts, on his land journey along the 35th parallel south latitude, and those he might encounter in any North American city.

The food will look about like any other food, but it will not be quite the same. Southern Chile, Argentina and Uruguay have no very characteristic national dishes, like corned beef and cabbage, chile con carne, sharks' fins or the "roast beef of old England."

In fact, it is nothing but a stew—meat—usually beef—sometimes chicken—and any and every variety of vegetable available—especially garlic—stewed and stewed and stewed—and pretty good, but firm as a steady diet, which is what it is, particularly in Argentina.

"Yerba mate" is not a food but a drink—"Paraguayan tea," as it is also called. Hot water and ground dried leaves of some sort, steeped in it—those are its sole ingredients. Any tea is poor stuff, in my opinion. Dried alfalfa, pulverized and boiled in water, would do me fully as well as "yerba mate." Yet the Argentines and Uruguayans—it is not so much of an institution in Chile—consume it by the gallon.

It is not drunk from a cup, as tea is in this country. The system is to suck it from a gourd, through a straw. Rich folk afford hand-somely decorated gourds, and

tubes, to suck through—silver and gold filigree—very fancy.

A man smoking a cigarette is no commoner sight than a native of one of the River Plate republics, sucking "mate" from his gourd—or "bombilla."

Hot cooking below the equator is Frenchy, as in Gotham.

Domestic cooking is more Italian, with an Indian infusion. The weak point in River Plate cookery is its insipidity—no taste to anything—or all tastes alike—except enough flavoring.

Too much meat also, for the climate—great hunks of it—sickish in boiling hot weather. "Up country" they eat hardly any vegetables—except in "puchero."

The meat is tasteless, anyway. Besides, they serve it too soon after reasonable prices, as in this country, in pre-Volstead days.

Besides imported brands of everything, the native strong water is "cane"—pronounced kahnya—distilled from sugar. The Mendoza wines, in Argentina, are equal to Europe's best—and nearly as expensive. Buenos Aires beer is the best south of the "line."

Dry from here go down to South America and come back reporting the development of a prohibition movement. I have to laugh to listen to it. The South American will agree—verbally—to anything, out of politeness. He would endorse the prohibition of ham and eggs—in North America—if requested to do so. He would as soon legislate his nose off his face as give up his own vino.

Not to teach me because I was so stupid.

"Mother only laughed and told me not to worry, that it would be wrong to give little birds lessons every day until they got used to flying. It would be them out. Two-Legs knew this and that he would surely come in good time."

"Patience is one of the first lessons for a little bird to learn," said mother, patting me with her wing. "No carrier pigeon ever gets very far without it."

"Just think, my son! Suppose that you were carrying an important message for someone and a thick fog came up and you couldn't find it, wouldn't you feel a tremendous amount of work that is dreadfully monotonous nevertheless has to be done."

The pigeon who looks pleasant.

"Bad luck comes to the bird who is hateful; when you are older you will find that out. There, that is right. Now you are my own cheerful little son again!"

Next: "There's No Place Like Home."

## Household Hints

By MRS. MARY MORTON

## MENU HINT

BREAKFAST  
Oatmeal with Apples Top Mlk  
Crisp Bacon Toast Marmalade  
Coffee or Substitute

LUNCHEON  
Baked Potato Spinach with Eggs  
Whole Wheat Bread Pear Salad  
Waters Milk

DINNER  
Beef Birds Brown Gravy  
Baked Squash  
Lettuce or Cabbage with  
French Dressing  
Cranberry Jelly  
Apple Pie

Oatmeal with apple is the unique part of today's menu. Try it on the family if it is new to you, and, if they like it it will be one more way to make a little variety in the breakfast menu.

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We have an article on Balanced Diet that will help you.

## Crushes, Bunions and Calorics Consumed

I—I don't think your "crush" complex is abnormal in the least. Perhaps it is a little exaggerated, and you should try to control that exaggeration by remembering when you are in the presence of your "idols" to simply be natural. You will be liked for yourself, I am sure.

Bunions are enlargements of the joints of the large toe, so those caloric spots on your heels are not bunions, but probably corns, and a visit to a chiropodist and properly fitting shoes will do away with them.

A person weighing about 150 pounds—with his clothes—uses up approximately 200 calories per hour, while walking fairly slowly; walking actively and active exercise, approximately 300 calories per hour. Tennis would come under the head of active exercise.

Mary—There are no such things as "growing pains." That term used to be used, but no longer. It is found that a child with so-called growing pains is not well in some way. The bones are not being properly nourished and there may be an infection.

Have your mother take you to a physician for a thorough examination.

Tomorrow: Skin Tests.

## Living and Loving

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

## GIRLS WRITE ABOUT THEIR VOICES: DO BOYS SUFFER IN SILENCE?

To read my mail one would think about one-half the "flappers" in the country were suffering from heartache. They sign themselves "Despondent," "Lonesome," "Broken Hearted," and countless other names, and all are in love with a handsome youngster who is too busy to answer their letters. How are they going to win him back? And are the girls more susceptible to the love germ than the sterner sex? Or do the latter suffer in silence while the girls, being weaker, cry their woes aloud—or by letter?

Despondent writes: "Dear Mrs. Lee: What does love do when a girl falls in love with a boy who is too good looking for her? I am a stenographer and have fallen in love with a young man who works where I do. I am 18 and have never gone with boys. I have never fallen so for a person before, but I can't live without him. Please advise me what to do. I am not good looking, but I have some attractive features and everyone likes me."

"DESPONDENT." Under the circumstances a girl should put on her prettiest dress, her sweetest smile, keep her with about her and go in and win, if everyone likes you why should not he? Don't be despondent any longer, unless he likes the kind of a girl who pears her troubles into his ear. Most chaps—handsome or not—like a jolly girl.

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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

**GOD'S CONSTANCY**—For the mountains shall depart, and the hills be removed; but my kindness shall not depart from thee, neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed, saith the Lord that hath mercy on thee.—Isa. 54:10.

## "RELIC OF HORSE-BACK DAYS"

The 1928 Presidential campaign, in every phrase from party conventions to election, has proved the American system of choosing an executive to be antiquated, ridiculous and ready for the discard, in the opinion of Victor Rosewater, former chairman of the Republican National Committee and one of the country's closest political observers.

Mr. Rosewater, calls the existing campaign formalities, particularly the four-month campaign period and the acceptance speeches of the successful candidates "relics of post-chaise days."

The modern party convention, he asserts, has evolved into a political circus; its business could be transacted as efficiently in one or two days as in the week or more now devoted to exhibitionism. With the radio, motion pictures and modern newspapers the country can be informed on issues as thoroughly in one month as in the four months now consumed in a campaign, he believes.

Particularly, Mr. Rosewater believes, the spirit engendered at party convention needs "debunking."

"Does anyone swallow the fulsome praise of nominating speakers without many grains of salt?" he asks. "Are any votes changed by convention hall oratory? Is it not a fact that all business transacted in the average convention can be done perhaps most expeditiously in one day? Once a convention is located—for a consideration—it becomes a moral obligation to keep it there long enough to permit of reimbursement, which calls for a program prepared primarily to consume this."

"It has been suggested by Dr. Albert Shaw that holding the conventions too far in advance of election is responsible for an unnecessarily long, diverting and expensive campaign, and that the remedy lies in postponement to September. In this he is eminently correct. The July nominating convention is a survival of horse-back days when it took weeks to assemble delegates. All the preliminaries of delegate choosing could be carried through easily in a month, and the September nominations would leave ample time to canvass the voters."

It is not likely that this attack by Mr. Rosewater will change things by the time the next convention rolls around, but perhaps some of his ideas are worth thinking about. Just because things have always been done in a certain way is no reason for continuing them just that way.

## SHIPOLOADS OF SKULL CRACKERS

Most of us realize pretty well that law-observance is not one of our nation's leading virtues, and that the police, accordingly, are kept pretty busy; but did you ever know that the wood out of which policemen's clubs are made comes into the country in full shiploads?

Well, it does. The docks of the Bush Terminal, in Brooklyn, receive ship after ship from the West Indies, loaded with lignum vitae—the hardest, heaviest wood obtainable—which is shipped from there to the factories where nightsticks are made.

This wood is so heavy it will not float in water. It takes a fine polish, and is so tough that it can make an impression on the thickest skull of the toughest criminal in the country.

And the country's cops are so busy that it comes in by the shipload!

## The Way of the World

By GROVE PATTERSON

## TERRIFYING

Be sure that the man who likes to terrify others, to make others fear him, is the man who himself lives in fear. Cruelty may be the sign of a cowardly nature. Men who are really fearful prefer to disguise their fears by appearing to be "crudely bold."

## COURTESY

If employers knew how their stores or offices or plants are judged by the attitude of their employees they would be more careful than some of them are in teaching those who represent them to be courteous. Probably courtesy brings as much business as sound goods and efficiency.

## NOT TO BE CRITICISED

Don't ever criticize a man who has not had the advantage of a school or college education. There are always good reasons for not blaming him. In the first place the best part of education is something that one can get without going to school and something that many have who never had the opportunity to study books. Somewhere they have learned modesty and gentleness and courtesy and a thoughtful attitude toward this curious life we are in. They have both education and culture. And even if a man has not these qualities he ought not to be condemned. For if he has no education at all, he probably appreciates and regrets that fact more than anybody.

## WHY FEAR DEATH?

The natural process of life includes death. The body finally succumbs to the wear and tear of life and it is a normal thing that it should. Death is as natural as going to sleep. If we do thoughtfully and serenely what we have to do in this active sphere in which we move about, why fear the next normal step?

## IT'S WORTH THE PRICE

One of the most helpful signs of the times is the fact that cities are more given to passing bond issues for millions than they used to be. It was once pretty hard for the forward-looking, progressive citizens of a community to get their less clear-eyed brothers to vote for any sort of improvement that would mean a few dollars more on the tax rate. But times are changing. Men think more—not only for themselves, but of their children and the future of the community. They are beginning to be willing to pay the price of community well being. It is a very hopeful sign of the times.

The Diary  
of a  
New Yorker

By WALTER WINCHELL

NEW YORK. — Among other amusing episodes unfolded in the Longacre sector is one concerning Jesse J. Eldot, a prosperous printer, whose biggest kick comes from giving away money to those he likes. Mr. Eldot is incessantly throwing respectable parties, to which he invites his intimates, and they always come away loaded with gold coins. A few years ago he prepared his will, and the beneficiaries were his closest pals.

One of them was Keley Allen, the critic. Shortly after the will was made Eldot took violent ill, but recovered. Jess Dandy, the actor, died shortly after. Al Sanders, another theatrical man, succumbed. Jack Gleason, also named in the will, died, and the others started to complain about their health. Even Eldot's pet dog died, and Keley Allen got sick for the first time in his life. So Allen asked Mr. Eldot to strike his name out of the will, which was done, and two days later he was well again.

## SUPPOSIN'

Now just supposin' we had never met;  
Our lips not kissed, our hands  
not wrenched apart!  
Why never supposin' we had  
never loved?  
How would I ever know I  
had a heart?  
—Jean Douglas.

## THEATER GUILD TRIUMPH

Maurice Browne and Robert Nichols have provided the Theater Guild with an unusual and highly engrossing new play, "Wings Over Europe." It is christened, and it is given elegant direction by Rouben Mamoulian, who was dragged from the wings by one of the collaborators after the thrilling proceedings at the Martin Beck theater to acknowledge the hand-clapping. There were some cheers when the last asbestos dropped on the incessantly arresting mellow drama, and not a few of them were for the womanless cast of 14, all of whom contributed handsomely to the novel event.

"Wings Over Europe" is fashioned from a most entrancing theory. The theme concerns a 25-year-old genius, inspired by Shelley and Maxwell, who perfects an invention which could destroy the universe. A preposterous and absurd idea, unattainable, the British cabinet, before whom the young Einstein brings his startling and amazing revelation. After failing him to abandon and destroy his "secret," they threaten to confine him where he no longer may serve humanity and practice his deadly magic, but he is determined to "build a house for man."

He is impersonated by Alexander Kirkland, a remarkable actor for his age, on whose shoulders the manuscript chiefly rests. Master Kirkland acquitted the difficult and lengthy assignment with great conception.

Resuming from the second paragraph, the cabinet members argue pro and con with the determination to better humanity and the world young man, and after they have threatened to jail him, he warns, if he is so condemned, that soon after his confederates will release a devastating atom that not only would blow London and Great Britain to bits but the entire world. The complications that follow are equally as engaging, and the denouement comes with as neat a wallop as the theater has enjoyed in a long spell.

## NEWSPAPERMAN STUFF

Even Balzac sympathized with the reporter who is damned if he prints it and damned if he doesn't. He once scribbled: "Whoever has dipped into journalism or is still in it lies under the hard necessity of bowing to men he despises, smiling upon his worst enemy, consoling with the rankness and dirtiness of his fingers in his struggle to pay his adversaries in their own coin."

## SURE ENOUGH

Alexander Woolcott, to hear them tell it, was a fearless dramatic critic because he knew What He Liked and so stated in the paper. They add, however, that when he was a critic it was feared that, if he were found murdered, at least two thousand people would have been held under suspicion.

## LAND NOBODY OWNS

How to collect taxes from a land that nobody owns and yet is occupied, is puzzling the Mayo county council of Ireland. In Letterick, North Mayo, are 2,291 acres, the owner of which cannot be found. It is mostly mountainous land and useless as to farming. A group of farmers are using it to graze cattle. The council cannot collect taxes from them, because they are not the legal rated occupiers.

## APPRECIATION

A group of American tourists were being taken through the National Gallery in London. In one alcove was a giant-sized picture of one of the saints suffering the agonies of martyrdom. A reverential hush fell over the group as they stood before the painting. Then one of them, with a loud checked suit and a derby hat cocked over one ear, remarked: "Gee, don't that guy look miserable!"

## THE PLEASURE OF GIVING

Behind the Scenes in  
Washington

By CHARLES P. STEWART

WASHINGTON. — The South Americans cannot starve our president-elect at the ports visited by the Maryland and the Utah, because he always can call for a snack on returning to their hospitable docks, if the native chuck was otherwise than to his liking.

So far as menus go, Mr. Hoover will not see much difference between the layouts, on his land journey along the 35th parallel south latitude, and those he might encounter in any North American city.

The food will look about like any other food, but it will not be quite the same.

Southern Chile, Argentina and Uruguay have no very characteristically national dishes, like corned beef and cabbage, chile con carne, sharks' fins or the "roast beef of old England."

"Puchero," to be sure, does sound original. In fact, it is nothing but a stew—meat—usually beef—sometimes chicken—and any and every variety of vegetable available—especially garlic—stewed and stewed—and pretty good, but tiresome as a steady diet, which is what it is, particularly in Argentina.

"Yerba mate" is not a food but a drink—"Paraguayan tea," as it is also called.

Hot water and ground dried leaves of some sort, steeped in it—those are its sole ingredients. Any tea is poor stuff, in my opinion. Dried alfalfa, pulverized and boiled in water, would do me fully as well as "yerba mate." Yet the Argentines and Uruguayans—it is not so much of an institution in Chile—consume it by the gallon. It is not drunk from a cup, as tea is in this country. The system is to suck it from a gourd, through a straw. Rich folk affect hand-somely decorated gourds, and

tubes, to suck through—silver and gold filigree—very fancy.

A man smoking a cigaret is no commoner sight than a native of one of the River Plate republics, sucking "mate" from his gourd—or "bombilla."

Hotel cooking below the equator is Frenchy, as in Gotham. Domestic cooking is more Italian, with an Indian infusion.

The weak point in River Plate cookery is its insipidity—no taste to anything—or all tastes alike—not enough flavoring.

Too much meat also, for the climate—great hunks of it—sickish in boiling hot weather. "Up country" they eat hardly any vegetables—except in "puchero."

The meat is tasteful, anyway. Besides, they serve it too soon after killing. This makes it tough. A chunk of beef is not at its best, slapped on the table 30 minutes after it was a cow, eating grass in a pasture.

But the drinks make up for it. All kinds flow freely, and at reasonable prices, as in this country in pre-Prohibition days.

Besides imported brands of everything, the native strong water is "xan"—pronounced kahnyah—distilled from sugar. The Mendoza wines, in Argentina, are equal to Europe's best—and nearly as expensive. Buenos Aires beer is the best south of the "line."

Dry from here go down to South America and come back reporting the development of a prohibition movement. I have to laugh to listen to it. The South American will agree—verbally—to anything, out of politeness. He would endorse the prohibition of ham and eggs—in North America—if requested to do so. He would as soon legislate his nose off his face as give up his own vino.

## Peter's Adventure

By MRS. FLORENCE SMITH VINCENT

Carrier Pigeon Goes To School  
Carrier pigeon proved to be a mighty good story teller. One would have thought to hear him that his school days were but yesterday.

"On the first day Two-Legs carried me about a mile away from the hay loft and then set me free—exactly as mother had said he would do," chuckled Carrier Pigeon, after a short pause. "I was a little bit afraid at first, wouldn't you be so far away in a place you never had been?"

"But I remembered mother's directions and followed my beak, and at last ahead of me I saw the old barn, only it was not in front as I had supposed it would be, but away off at one side. 'You see, I had somehow gotten out of my course—I had not flown straight.'"

"Mother and father and sister flapped their wings when they saw me, and that night I had the softest spot in the loft to sleep in. 'The next morning bright and early I was up and waiting for Two-Legs, but he didn't come, and I went to bed so disappointed I could have cried if I had not been afraid sister would see and make fun of me.'"

"Nor did my new master arrive on the next day, and I thought he had forgotten all about me. I asked mother if she thought he had made up his mind

not to teach me because I was so stupid.

"Mother only laughed and told me not to worry, that it would be wrong to give little birds lessons every day until they got used to flying—it would tire them out. Two-Legs knew this and that he would surely come in good time. 'Patience is one of the first lessons for a little bird to learn,' said mother, patting me with her wing. 'No carrier pigeon ever gets very far without it.'"

"Just think, my son! Suppose that you were carrying an important message for someone and a thick fog came up and you couldn't find your way home in it? Would it do you any good to fuss and fret and peck out your feathers? Not a bit! You would only tire yourself out and have to rest when the sun came out and you should be flying."

"Remember, if such a thing ever should happen—if ever you should lose your way—that if you have patience, and keep your temper, everything will come out all right in the end."

"This is a fine chance right now for you to begin to practice patience. Smooth down your feathers, and stop flapping your wings and, above all, look pleasant, sonny."

"Nice things always happen to

Household  
Hints

By MRS. MARY MORTON

## MENU HINT

**BREAKFAST**  
Oatmeal with Apples Top Milk  
Crisp Bacon Toast Marmalade  
Coffee or Substitute

**LUNCHEON**  
Baked Potato Spinach with Eggs  
Whole Wheat Bread Pear Salad  
Wafers

**DINNER**  
Beef Birds Brown Gravy  
Baked Squash  
Lettuce or Cabbage with  
French Dressing  
Cranberry Jelly  
Apple Pie Tea

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President Morgan, of Antioch college, who originated the idea of having students alternate their work in college with work in the practical world of business or industry, once told me that the commonest complaint from students, both men and women, after being sent out to hold a job, was that their work was monotonous. This, says Morgan, whose business training was that of an engineer, is probably a healthy and beneficial discovery. If a person is of low enough mentality, he prefers routine work and doesn't find it monotonous. But if one does find it tedious, he feels a greater respect for its importance. A tremendous amount of work that is dreadfully monotonous nevertheless has to be done.

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The lack of vitamin B—found especially in fresh fruits and vegetables and the bran and germ of grain and in yeast—is the cause of scurvy. The lack of vitamins and complete protein or the meat element of food, such as is found in milk, flesh foods, cheese and eggs, is the cause of pellagra.

We have an article on Balanced Diet that will help you.

## Crushes, Bunions and Callosities Consumed

I—I don't think your "crush" complex is abnormal in the least. Perhaps it is a little exaggerated, and you should try to control that exaggeration by remembering when you are in the presence of your "idols" to simply be natural. You will be liked for yourself, I am sure.

Bunions are enlargements of the joints of the large toe, so those callous spots on your heels are not bunions, but probably corns, and a visit to a chiropodist and properly fitting shoes will do away with them.

A person weighing about 150 pounds—with his clothes—uses up approximately 200 calories per hour, while walking fairly slowly; walking actively and active exercise, approximately 300 calories per hour. Tennis would come under the head of active exercise.

Mary—There are no such things as "growing pains." That term used to be used, but no longer. It is found that a child with so-called growing pains is not well in some way. The bones are not being properly nourished and there may be an infection.

Have your mother take you to a physician for a thorough examination.

Tomorrow: Skin Tests.

## Living and Loving

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

GIRLS WRITE ABOUT THEIR  
VOES: DO BOYS SUFFER  
IN SILENCE?

To read my mail one would think about one-half the "flappers" in the country were suffering from heartache. They sign themselves "Despondent," "Lonesome," "Broken Hearted," and countless other names, and all are in love with a handsome youngster who is no longer interested in them. How are they going to win him back? And are the girls more susceptible to the love germ than the sterner sex? Or do the latter suffer in silence while the girls, being weaker, cry their woes aloud—or by letter?

## Despondent waits:

"Dear Mrs. Lee: What does a person do when she falls in love with a boy who is too good looking for her? I am a stenographer and have fallen in love with a young man who works where I do. I am 18 and have never gone with boys. I have never fallen so for a person before, but I can't live without him. Please advise me what to do. I am not good looking, but I have some attractive features and everyone likes me."

Under the circumstances a girl should put on her prettiest dress, her sweetest smile, keep her wits about her and go in and win. If everyone likes you why should not he? Don't be despondent any longer, unless he likes the kind of a girl who pears her troubles into his ear. Most chaps—handsome or not—like a jolly girl.

"Dear Mrs. Lee: I am writing to you for advice. I am going with a boy 19 years of age, and he says he loves me. Do you think that 15 is too young? My folks are dead and I board with my sister and work."

"BLUE EYES."  
So, dear, you are too young, and so is he. Better try to wait a year or two.

"Dear Mrs. Lee: I met the most wonderful girl in the world some time ago. We became quite friendly and I grew to love her to the utmost and I'm sure she loved me. One day I met her on the street and she failed to speak (although she saw me). We are both high school students. I went away to another state thinking that I would forget, but I couldn't, so I returned. Since then I have called her on the phone and she answers and speaks but refuses to go anywhere with me. I love her so and I wish that you would give me your advice, as my heart is lonely and broken."

"A WEARY LOVER."  
Why don't you write her that you are very anxious to go out with her and ask her to tell you why she won't. If she refuses then to let you take her out, I am afraid you had better let her go, for the time being anyhow. Maybe if you take another girl out she will decide that she does like you after all.

R. B.: Can't you send the little girl to live somewhere else, with a relative? It is dreadful that she should be subjected to such treatment. If you know of one who could take her, go to the Children's Protective League and ask them for suggestions. Try to regain your health so that you can leave him and make a home for yourself and your children.

"Dear Mrs. Lee: I went with a boy friend for two years and for my birthday he gave me a wrist watch. Now he wants me to give it back to him. I think that your advice is good, so please give me some of it." I suppose you have stopped being friends, so I'd give him back his wrist watch and anything else that he has given you. You don't want to keep things that the giver does not want you to have, do you? "The gift without the giver is bare," you know.

## How to Achieve Beauty

By MME. HELENA RUBINSTEIN

Every skin needs regular beauty treatment, and there is no better way to proceed than by mapping out a simple routine for yourself. Once you have established the daily habit of caring for your skin (as you should, whether you are 16 to 60) it will become as fixed in your mind as the daily bath or the use of your toothbrush.

There are usually three distinct steps in every beauty treatment; namely, cleansing, stimulating and toning.

First of all take a mirror to the strong daylight and study the texture of your skin. Unless you are that somewhat rare "combination type," you can classify your complexion as either normal dry or oily.

The normal skin is firm in texture, the pores inconspicuous. It is elastic, and the general tone healthy and fine. The fortunate possessor of this type of complexion never has to worry about shine, and powder adheres smoothly to its surface. Usually the girl between 15 and 25 has a normal skin.

From 25 on we find the dry skin more prevalent. The dry skin is fine, thin, sensitive, often fragile in texture. It is usually an exquisitely beautiful skin, but it always shows a tendency to premature lines and wrinkles.

This type requires constant counter-treatment, and must be carefully protected from summer suns and winter snows! Last of the group is the oily skin, and this is an easily recognizable condition. "Shine," large pores, blackheads and acne are only a few of the unpleasant attributes of this condition. It can, however, be easily cured, so don't despair if you possess an oily skin. I suggest that you take a pencil and paper and plan your beauty treatment in just as "common-sense" a way as you plan the evening menu. And in the name of the beauty you're trying to cultivate, do determine to stick to it!

## Pennermint

Put one-half cup boiling water and one and one-half cups sugar in a saucepan. Place on fire and stir until sugar is dissolved. Bring to boiling point and let boil ten minutes. Remove from fire and add six drops of oil of peppermint and beat until of right consistency. Drop from tip of spoon on slightly buttered paper, working rapidly.

## TRANS-RUSSIA SLEEPERS

Sleeping car service has been finally established on the Russian trans-continental railroad as the result of an agreement just made between the Russian railroads and the Wagons-Lits Co.



## CEDARVILLE THROWS SCORE IN MUSKINGUM BUT LOSES 31 TO 29

Muskingum College, Ohio Conference basketball champions two years ago, was hard pressed throughout and barely nosed out Cedarville College's rejuvenated court quintet 29 to 29 in a close cage tilt on the Cedarville floor Wednesday night.

The "Yellow-Jackets," who threw a scare into the University of Cincinnati Bearcats, last week, nearly performed the unexpected against Muskingum and only a basket by Forward Biele in the last minute and one-half of play enabled the visitors to notch out a two-point victory.

It was a game which saw the score tied four times in the last half.

Muskingum at one time during the first half enjoyed a lead of 14 to 5 but Coach Horst's quintet rapidly cut down the advantage and the Muskies found their margin reduced to a single point, 19 to 18 at the half. Thereafter the contest was a nip and tuck affair until the final gun sounded.

High point honors for the evening went to McConnell, Muskingum guard, who scored twelve markers. Smith, center, and Turner, forward, of Cedarville, were not far behind with eleven and ten points, respectively.

The contest, while exceedingly fast, was not as rough as it seemed although a total of twenty-three personal fouls was called. Both quintets registered eleven field goals but Muskingum's advantage lay in its ability to cash in on foul

## WILBERFORCE WINS FROM WRIGHT FIELD IN RETURN CONTEST

Avenge Defeat Of First Game By Score Of 22 To 18

Playing its second game of the season, Wilberforce University obtained its first victory and at the same time avenged a defeat administered a week or more ago, by defeating the Wright Field Flyers 22 to 18 in a return basketball game at the Fairfield gymnasium, Wednesday night.

Wilberforce opened the scoring when Jackson loomed in a fielder on the opening play. From then on the lead alternated often with the Flyers ahead 13 to 12 at the half. Wilberforce drew up again on even terms in the second half and in the last few minutes of play, with the score tied, Carter found the net twice, winning the contest. Lineups and summary:

Wilberforce	G	F	T
Jackson, Jr.	2	0	4
S. Lucas, Jr.	0	2	2
Scott, Jr.	0	0	0
Carter, Jr.	5	2	12
Ward, Jr.	1	0	2
C. Lucas, Jr.	1	0	2
Totals	9	4	22
Wright Flyers	G	F	T
Fisher, Jr.	1	2	4
Baldwin, Jr.	0	0	0
Miller, Jr.	1	0	2
Schockley, Jr.	0	0	0
Bushmeyer, Jr.	3	4	10
Schauer, Jr.	1	0	2
Snyder, Jr.	0	0	0
Totals	6	6	18

## CHOIR WILL RENDER SPECIAL CANTATA SUNDAY AFTERNOON

A lovely cantata, "The Christ Child," by Hawley will be sung by the choir of Trinity M. E. Church, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock as the annual Christmas service of that choir.

The cantata will be preceded by a candle-light procession and altar service. The soloists will be Mrs. John Watkins, Mrs. Richard McClelland, Mrs. Raymond Wolfe, Messrs. Leigh Bickett, G. F. Dodds, and W. C. Boyce with Miss Juanita Rankin, organist and Mrs. McGervey, director.

The program follows:  
Organ prelude—Rhapsody of Old Carols  
Professional—Hark the Herald Angels Sing  
Altar Hymn—There's a Song in the Air  
Hymn 115  
Choir and Congregation

Scripture Reading  
Prayer  
Quartet—O' Have Ye Heard the Tidings?

XVI Century  
Mrs. Homer Spahr, Mrs. McGervey, Leigh Bickett, W. C. Boyce  
Offertory—Pastorale  
Cantata—Part I

Organ Prelude  
Tenor solo—The voice of Him that crieth  
Bass recitative—The people that walked in darkness  
Chorus—Arise, shine  
Male Chorus—Behold a King shall reign  
Ladies chorus—He shall feed His flock  
Alto solo—The angel Gabriel was sent from God  
Soprano solo—Hail thou that are highly favored  
Chorus—How beautiful upon the mountains  
Soprano solo—My soul doth magnify the Lord  
Chorus—Sing O heavens.

Part II  
Soprano solo—O little town of Bethlehem  
Alto solo—And lo, the angel of the Lord  
Bass solo—Fear not, for behold  
Soprano recitative—And suddenly there was with the angels  
Chorus—Glory to God in the highest  
Solo and chorus—It came upon the midnight clear  
Alto solo—And it came to pass  
Male chorus—Let us now go even unto Bethlehem  
Chorus—Hail Night  
Soprano recitative—And the shepherds when they had seen it  
Chorus—O praise the Lord all ye nations  
Organ postlude—Hallelujah  
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Miss Rankin  
The music for the morning service is as follows:  
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Hem  
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## Sportistory

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20.  
1842—Charles Freeman wins world's heavyweight title beating the Tipton Slasher in a 108-round fight which is spread over three days December 14, December 16 and today.

1881—Branch Rickey of the St. Louis Cardinals born in Louisville, O.

1897—Butch Henline, Philadelphia National catcher, born in Ft. Wayne, Ind.

1900—Charles Hartnett, Chicago National catcher, born in Woonsocket, R. I.

1904—Jimmy Britt defeats Battling Nelson in twenty rounds at San Francisco, Cal.

1905—Jack O'Brien knocks out Bob Fitzsimmons in thirteen rounds at San Francisco, Cal.

1923—Stubby Kruzev sets new back stroke record for fifty yards swimming the distance in 29.25 seconds.

1927—Rogers Hornsby is traded to New York Giants by the St. Louis Cardinals for Frank Frisch and Jimmy Ring.

DISCHARGE GUARD  
COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 20.—Geo. R. Beecher, a guard at the state penitentiary, has been discharged for carrying mail to prisoners, alleged for pay.

SHOE STORE GIFT HINTS  
SATIN MULES  
Blue Or Black  
What the High School Girl Wants  
For Her Xmas Present  
\$1.95

Felt Soft Sole  
MOCCASINS  
Six Different Colors To Choose From  
49c, 95c, \$1.25  
\$1.45

\$3.85  
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\$6.85  
ARROW SHOE Co.

## FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

FRIDAY  
WJZ and network 7 EST—Great Moments in History.  
WEAF and network 8 EST—Cities Service hour.  
WJZ and network 9 EST—Wrigley Review.  
WOR and network 9 EST—True Story hour.  
WOR and network 10 EST—United Opera Company.

## TEAM ORGANIZED

The Alpha Nite-Owls have organized an independent basketball team, which will open its 1928-29 season against a Spring Valley team, which will open its 1928-29 night, December 22. The Alpha lineup for the game will include R. Brill and Lee Cyphers at forwards, Walter "Speed" Leopold at center, C. Rouch and H. Davis at guards with A. Anders in reserve.

## DAILY MARKETS

### LIVE STOCK

PITTSBURGH LIVESTOCK  
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 20.—Hogs—receipts 4,500; market 30 cents lower; 250 to 350 lbs. \$8.75@9.10; 200 to 250 lbs. \$8.90@9.10; 160 to 200 lbs. \$8.85@9.10; 130 to 160 lbs. \$8.25@9.10; 90 to 130 lbs. \$8.85@9.10; packing sows \$7.25@7.75.  
Cattle—receipts 50; calves 150; market weak; beef steers \$11.00@11.40; light yearlings and heifers \$9.00@9.40; beef cows \$7.50@8.50; low cutters and cutter cows \$4.50@5.50; vealers \$13.00@17.00; heavy calves \$10.00@15.00.  
Sheep—receipts 1,500; market weak; top fat lambs \$14.75; bulk fat lambs \$8.50@11.00; bulk fat ewes \$6.00@7.00.

### CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, Dec. 20.—Hogs—receipts 2,900; hieldover 3,600; market mostly 20 to 25 cents lower on butchers; 250 to 350 lbs. \$8.85@9.10; 200 to 250 lbs. \$8.50@8.85; 160 to 200 lbs. \$8.40@8.85; 130 to 160 lbs. \$8.25@8.50; 90 to 130 lbs. \$6.75@7.00; packing sows \$6.25@12.50.  
Cattle—receipts 400; calves 350; market steady; beef steers \$8.50@9.10; light yearlings and heifers \$9.00@9.40; beef cows \$6.50@8.50; low cutters and cutter cows \$5.00@6.25; vealers \$10.50@14.00; heavy calves \$9.00@11.00; bulk stock and feeder steers \$9.00@10.00.  
Sheep—receipts 350; market steady.

### XENIA LIVESTOCK

XENIA, Dec. 20.—Hogs—receipts 10; market 10 cents lower; 250 to 350 lbs. \$8.75@9.10; 200 to 250 lbs. \$8.90@9.10; 160 to 200 lbs. \$8.85@9.10; 130 to 160 lbs. \$8.25@9.10; 90 to 130 lbs. \$8.85@9.10; packing sows \$7.25@7.75.  
Cattle—receipts 10; calves 10; market weak; beef steers \$11.00@11.40; light yearlings and heifers \$9.00@9.40; beef cows \$7.50@8.50; low cutters and cutter cows \$4.50@5.50; vealers \$13.00@17.00; heavy calves \$10.00@15.00.  
Sheep—receipts 10; market weak; top fat lambs \$14.75; bulk fat lambs \$8.50@11.00; bulk fat ewes \$6.00@7.00.

### DAYTON LIVESTOCK

DAYTON, Dec. 20.—Hogs—receipts 6 cars; mkt., 25@30c lower.  
Ex-hives, 350 lbs. \$7.75@8.00; heavies, 275-350 lbs. \$8.00; heavies, 200-275 lbs. \$8.00; mediums, 200-275 lbs. \$7.90; lights, 160-200 lbs. \$7.90; sows, 160-200 lbs. \$7.90; pigs, 140 lbs. down \$6.00@7.00; stags \$4.00@5.00.

### CATTLE

Receipts, light; mkt., steady.

lambs steady to 50 cents higher; top fat lambs \$15.50; bulk fat lambs \$13.00@15.00; bulk fat ewes \$8.00@12.00; bulk fat ewes \$5.00@7.00.

### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Hogs, 65,000; market, 10@25c lower, mostly \$8.40@8.50 on better grades, 170@250 pounds; top, \$8.55; butchers, medium to choice, 250-350 lbs. \$8.30@8.55; 200-250 lbs. \$8.30@8.55; 160-200 lbs. \$8.10@8.50; 130-160 lbs. \$7.40@8.35; packing sows, \$7.60@8.10; pigs, medium to choice, 50-130 lbs. \$6.85@7.85.  
Cattle, 8,000; calves, 3,000; market on steers and yearlings mostly steady with yesterday's 25@75c down; shipper demand narrow but well finished steers scarce; she stock and light yearlings dull; slaughter classes, steers, good and choice, 1300-1500 lbs. \$12.75@16.25; 950-1100 lbs. \$12.50@16.25; common and medium, 850 lbs. up, \$8.75@12.50; fed yearlings, good and choice, 750-900 lbs. \$12.00@16.50; heifers, good and choice, 850 lbs. down, \$10.75@13.50; common and medium, \$7.50@10.50; cows, good and choice, \$8.00@10.50; common and medium \$6.00@8.00; low cutter and cutters \$5.60@6.60; bulls, good and choice (beef) \$9.25@11.25; cutter to medium, \$7.00@9.25; vealers (milk fed) good and choice, \$12.75@15.00; medium, \$11.50@12.75; cull and common, \$7.50@11.50; stocker and feeder steers, good and choice (all weights) \$10.50@12.00; common and medium, \$8.50@10.75.  
Sheep—15,000; mostly early sales weak to 25c lower; bulk of fat lambs, \$14.00@14.25; fat lambs, top \$14.40; sheep steady; fat ewes, top \$8; feeding lambs, slow; lambs, good and choice (92 lbs. down) \$13.50@14.50; medium, \$12.25@13.50; cull and common, \$8.75@12.25; ewes, medium to choice (150 lbs. down) \$5.50@8.00; cull and common, \$2.25@6.00; feeder lambs, good and choice, \$13.00@13.25.

### PRODUCE

CHICAGO BUTTER  
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Potatoes 150 lb. sacks, round whites, New York, Ohio \$1.85@2.00.

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Retail Price  
Butter, per lb. 57c  
1928 Fries, 2 1-2 lbs. 45c  
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Med. butcher steers 9.50@10.50  
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### DAYTON GRAIN

DAYTON GRAIN  
DAYTON, Dec. 20.—Wheat, No. 1, per bu. \$1.35. Rye, No. 2 per bu. \$1.00. Oats, No. 2, white, old, bu. 43c. DAYTON PRODUCE  
Retail Price  
Butter, per lb. 57c  
1928 Fries, 2 1-2 lbs. 45c  
Hens, per pound 43c  
Spring Ducks 40c

### DAYTON BUTTER

DAYTON BUTTER  
DAYTON, Dec. 20.—Receipts, 7,200 tubs; standards, 43 1-4c; firsts, 45 1-2@47c; seconds, 43 1-4 1-2c; extras, 49c; extra firsts, 48@48 1-4c.

### CLEVELAND BUTTER

CLEVELAND BUTTER  
CLEVELAND, Dec. 20.—Butter: extras in tub lots, 51 3-4@52 3-4c; extra firsts, 48 1-4@50 1-4c; seconds, 44 1-4c.  
Eggs: extras, 46c; extra firsts, 43c; firsts, 43c; ordinaries, 24c; pullets, 28c.  
Poultry: heavy fowls, 27@29c; medium, 24@25c; leghorns 20@22c; heavy springers 29@30c; car stock 26@27c; leghorn springers, 22@23c; ducks, heavy white, 26@28c; car poultry, selling at 1c lb. under express stock quotations; others, 24@25c; turkeys, 35@40c; old cocks, 17@18c; geese, 24@26c.  
Potatoes 150 lb. sacks, round whites, New York, Ohio \$1.85@2.00.

### DAYTON LIVESTOCK

DAYTON, Dec. 20.—Hogs—receipts 6 cars; mkt., 25@30c lower.  
Ex-hives, 350 lbs. \$7.75@8.00; heavies, 275-350 lbs. \$8.00; heavies, 200-275 lbs. \$8.00; mediums, 200-275 lbs. \$7.90; lights, 160-200 lbs. \$7.90; sows, 160-200 lbs. \$7.90; pigs, 140 lbs. down \$6.00@7.00; stags \$4.00@5.00.

### CATTLE

Receipts, light; mkt., steady.

### PRODUCE

CHICAGO BUTTER  
CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Receipts, 7,200 tubs; standards, 43 1-4c; firsts, 45 1-2@47c; seconds, 43 1-4 1-2c; extras, 49c; extra firsts, 48@48 1-4c.

### CLEVELAND BUTTER

CLEVELAND BUTTER  
CLEVELAND, Dec. 20.—Butter: extras in tub lots, 51 3-4@52 3-4c; extra firsts, 48 1-4@50 1-4c; seconds, 44 1-4c.  
Eggs: extras, 46c; extra firsts, 43c; firsts, 43c; ordinaries, 24c; pullets, 28c.  
Poultry: heavy fowls, 27@29c; medium, 24@25c; leghorns 20@22c; heavy springers 29@30c; car stock 26@27c; leghorn springers, 22@23c; ducks, heavy white, 26@28c; car poultry, selling at 1c lb. under express stock quotations; others, 24@25c; turkeys, 35@40c; old cocks, 17@18c; geese, 24@26c.



## CEDARVILLE THROWS SCORE IN MUSKINGUM BUT LOSES 31 TO 29

Muskingum College, Ohio Conference basketball champions two years ago, was hard pressed throughout and barely nosed out Cedarville College's rejuvenated court quintet 31 to 29 in a close cage tilt on the Cedarville floor Wednesday night.

The "Yellow-Jackets," who threw a scare into the University of Cincinnati Bearcats, last week, nearly performed the unexpected against Muskingum and only a basket by Forward Biele in the last minute and one-half of play enabled the visitors to notch out a two-point victory.

It was a game which saw the score tied four times in the last half.

Muskingum at one time during the first half enjoyed a lead of 14 to 5 but Coach Biele's quintet rapidly cut down the advantage and the Muskies found their margin reduced to a single point, 19 to 18 at the half. Thereafter the contest was a nip and tuck affair until the final gun sounded.

High point honors for the evening went to McConahan, Muskingum guard, who scored twelve markers. Smith, center, and Turner, forward, of Cedarville, were not far behind with eleven and ten points, respectively.

The contest, while exceedingly fast, was not as rough as it seemed although a total of twenty-three personal fouls was called. Both quintets registered eleven field goals but Muskingum's advantage lay in its ability to cash in on foul

attempts, scoring nine free throws to seven for Cedarville.

Cedarville's most attractive home game of the season is scheduled for Friday night when Ohio Wesleyan University, conqueror of Ohio State, appears at Alford gym for a game. Wesleyan was runner-up in the Buckeye Association last season and has one of the outstanding basketball teams in Ohio this year.

Its team is a veteran one. Lineups and summary:

Muskingum G. F. T.  
Biele, rf 3 2 8  
Bell, lf 2 0 4  
Calhoun, c 1 3 3  
Leeper, rg 1 0 2  
McConahan, lg 4 12 4  
McCormack, lf 0 2 2

Totals 11 9 31

Cedarville G. F. T.  
Turner, rf 4 2 10  
Allen, lf 0 0 0  
Smith, c 3 11 4  
Jacobs, rg 1 0 2  
Gordon, lf 2 0 2  
Wright, lf 0 0 0  
Marshall, lf 0 0 0

Totals 11 7 29

Referee—Finsterwald, (Ohio).

## WILBERFORCE WINS FROM WRIGHT FIELD IN RETURN CONTEST

Avenges Defeat Of First Game By Score Of 22 To 18

Playing its second game of the season, Wilberforce University obtained its first victory and at the same time avenged a defeat administered a week or more ago, by defeating the Wright Field Flyers 22 to 18 in a return basketball game at the Fairfield gymnasium, Wednesday night.

Wilberforce opened the scoring when Jackson looped in a fielder on the opening play. From then on the lead alternated often with the Flyers ahead 13 to 12 at the half. Wilberforce drew up again on even terms in the second half and in the last few minutes of play, with the score tied, Carter found the net twice, winning the contest. Lineups and summary:

Wilberforce G. F. T.  
Jackson, rf 2 0 4  
S. Lucas, rf 2 0 2  
Scott, lf 0 0 0  
Carter, c 5 2 12  
Ward, lg 1 0 2  
C. Lucas, rg 1 0 2

Totals 9 4 22

Wright Flyers G. F. T.  
Fisher, lf 1 2 4  
Baldwin, rf 0 0 0  
Miller, rf 1 0 2  
Schuckley, c 0 0 0  
Bushmeyer, c 3 4 10  
Schauer, lg 1 0 2  
Snyder, rg 0 0 0

Totals 6 6 18

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## CHOIR WILL RENDER SPECIAL CANTATA SUNDAY AFTERNOON

A lovely cantata, "The Christ Child," by Hawley will be sung by the choir of Trinity M. E. Church, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock as the annual Christmas service of that choir.

The cantata will be preceded by a candle-light procession and altar service. The soloists will be Mrs. John Watkins, Mrs. Richard McClelland, Mrs. Raymond Wolfe, Messrs. Leigh Bickett, G. F. Dodds, and W. C. Boyce with Miss Juanita Rankin, organist and Mrs. McGervey, director.

The program follows: Organ prelude—Rhapsody of Old Carols—Miss Rankin—Professional—Hark the Herald Angels Sing—Mendelssohn—Altar Hymn—There's a Song in the Air—Harrington—Hymn 115—Handel—Choir and Congregation—Scripture Reading—Prayer—Quartet—O' Have Ye Heard the Tidings?—XVI Century—Mrs. Homer Spahr, Mrs. McGervey, Leigh Bickett, W. C. Boyce—Offertory—Pastorale—Harker—Miss Rankin—Cantata—Part I—Organ Prelude—Tenor solo—The voice of Him that crieth—Bass recitative—The people that walked in darkness—Chorus—Arise, shine—Male Chorus—Behold a King shall reign—Ladies chorus—He shall feed His flock—Alto solo—The angel Gabriel was sent from God—Soprano solo—Hail thou that art highly favored—Chorus—How beautiful upon the mountains—Soprano solo—My soul doth magnify the Lord—Chorus—Sing—Part II—Soprano solo—O little town of Bethlehem—Alto solo—And lo, the angel of the Lord—Soprano recitative—And suddenly there was with the angels—Chorus—Glory to God in the highest—Solo and chorus—It came upon the midnight clear—Alto solo—And it came to pass—Male chorus—Let us now go even unto Bethlehem—Chorus—Holy Night—Soprano recitative—And the shepherds when they had seen it—Chorus—O praise the Lord all ye nations—Organ recitativo—Hallelujah—Chorus—Hallelujah—Miss Rankin—The music for the morning service is as follows: Organ prelude—Jerusalem—Caelestial—Gounod—Anthem—Star of Bethlehem—hem—Petrie—Offertory—Berceuse—Spinney—Male chorus—March of the Magi—Ashford—Organ postlude—The Manger—Throne—Manney

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## FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

FRIDAY  
WJZ and network 7 EST—Great Moments in History.  
WEAF and network 8 EST—Cities Service hour.  
WJZ and network 9 EST—Wrigley Review.  
WOLF and network 9 EST—True Story hour.  
WOR and network 10 EST—United Opera Company.

## TEAM ORGANIZED

The Alpha Nite-Owls have organized an independent basketball team, while still open its 1928-29 season against a Spring Valley team, which will open its 1928-29 night, December 22. The Alpha lineup for the game will include R. Brill and Lee Cyphers at forwards, Walter "Speed" Leopard at center, C. Rouch and H. Davis at guards with A. Anders in reserve.

## DAILY MARKETS

### LIVE STOCK

PITTSBURGH LIVESTOCK  
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 20.—Hogs—receipts 4,500; market 30 cents lower; 250 to 350 lbs. \$8.75@9.10; 200 to 250 lbs. \$8.90@9.10; 160 to 200 lbs. \$8.85@9.10; 130 to 160 lbs. \$8.25@9.10; 90 to 130 lbs. \$8.85@9.10; packing sows \$7.25@7.75. Cattle—receipts 50; calves 150; market weak; beef steers \$11.00@11.50; light yearlings and heifers \$9.00@10.00; beef cows \$7.00@8.00; low cutters and cutter cows \$4.50@5.50; vealers \$12.00@13.00; heavy calves \$10.00@11.00. Sheep—receipts 1,500; market weak; top fat lambs \$14.75; bulk fat lambs \$13.00@14.75; bulk fat lambs \$8.50@11.00; bulk fat ewes \$6.00@7.00.

### CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, Dec. 20.—Hogs—receipts 2,900; hieldover 3,500; market mostly 20 to 25 cents lower on butchers; 250 to 350 lbs. \$8.85@9.10; 200 to 250 lbs. \$8.50@8.85; 160 to 200 lbs. \$8.40@8.85; 130 to 160 lbs. \$8.25@8.85; 90 to 130 lbs. \$8.75@8.85; packing sows \$6.25@12.50. Cattle—receipts 400; calves 350; market steady; beef steers \$8.50@9.00; light yearlings and heifers \$9.00@10.00; beef cows \$6.50@8.00; low cutters and cutter cows \$5.00@6.00; vealers \$10.50@11.00; heavy calves \$9.00@10.00; bulk stock and feeder steers \$9.00@10.00. Sheep—receipts 350; market: Receipts, light; mkt., steady.

### XENIA LIVESTOCK

XENIA, Dec. 20.—Hogs—receipts 1,500; market weak; top fat lambs \$14.75; bulk fat lambs \$13.00@14.75; bulk fat lambs \$8.50@11.00; bulk fat ewes \$6.00@7.00. Cattle—receipts 400; calves 350; market steady; beef steers \$8.50@9.00; light yearlings and heifers \$9.00@10.00; beef cows \$6.50@8.00; low cutters and cutter cows \$5.00@6.00; vealers \$10.50@11.00; heavy calves \$9.00@10.00; bulk stock and feeder steers \$9.00@10.00. Sheep—receipts 350; market: Receipts, light; mkt., steady.

### DAYTON LIVESTOCK

DAYTON, Dec. 20.—Hogs—receipts 1,500; market weak; top fat lambs \$14.75; bulk fat lambs \$13.00@14.75; bulk fat lambs \$8.50@11.00; bulk fat ewes \$6.00@7.00. Cattle—receipts 400; calves 350; market steady; beef steers \$8.50@9.00; light yearlings and heifers \$9.00@10.00; beef cows \$6.50@8.00; low cutters and cutter cows \$5.00@6.00; vealers \$10.50@11.00; heavy calves \$9.00@10.00; bulk stock and feeder steers \$9.00@10.00. Sheep—receipts 350; market: Receipts, light; mkt., steady.

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## WILMINGTON LOCAL LIQUOR ORDINANCE UNCONSTITUTIONAL

Under a ruling by the Ohio Supreme Court Wednesday in a Wilmington, O., case, local prohibition enforcement dependent upon municipal ordinances for punishment of liquor law violators is believed to have received a severe setback.

Overruling a motion to hear an appeal of the case of the City of Wilmington against George Brannon, the supreme court sustained a decision of the Appellate Court of the First District declaring invalid a city ordinance at Wilmington that provided for a maximum fine of \$1,000 in liquor cases.

Attorney Frank L. Johnson, Xenia, who recently carried an appeal in a liquor case all the way to the United States Supreme Court in an unsuccessful effort to have the Xenia mayor's court declared unconstitutional, represented Brannon in the Wilmington case.

Brannon was fined \$100 and costs for first offense by the Wilmington mayor. He appealed to Clinton County Common Pleas Court, which reversed the mayor, not on the ground of the unconstitutionality of the ordinance, but for other reasons, and ordered a new trial.

The Court of Appeals, reversing both the mayor and Common Pleas Court decisions, ordered the case dismissed on the ground the city had no authority to pass an ordinance where the punishment exceeds \$500. This is a statutory limitation and the court held that cities cannot exceed this limit in ordinances.

There are said to be several charter cities in Ohio that have ordinances with penalty clauses exceeding the limit of \$500 and six months' imprisonment set by state law.

Four of the Supreme Court judges concurred in the ruling, Judges Kinkade, Robinson, Jones and Mathias.

## DOWNTOWNERS HAVE VISIT FROM SANTA

Members of the Downtown Country Club enjoyed a Christmas party at the Frances Inn, Wednesday night.

Santa Claus was not present but had previously left a bag containing appropriate gifts for everyone present in addition to parodies on nursery rhymes in which the members were "roasted" gently and vigorously. Covers were laid for nineteen members, including two new members, Attorney Marcus McCallister and Philip Core. A committee was appointed to provide suitable entertainment for the next regular meeting.

**TODAY'S CHUCKLE**  
**LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 19.**  
—Mrs. J. C. Connor is Arkansas' first candidate for the weeds of a golf widow. She charged in her divorce complaint that the game had deprived her of her husband's companionship and that he never stayed home.

## MUSICAL PROGRAM TO BE PRESENTED AT CHURCH SUNDAY

The following is the corrected program of the Christmas musicale to be presented at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m., by the chorus choir:

Prelude—"Christmas Carols"  
Organ Recital—Roy Siefert  
Anthem—"Glory to God in the Highest"  
Solo—"The Christmas Herald"  
.....J. G. Whitney Coombs  
Miss Ruth Alexander  
Violin Obligato—Mr. Chas. Kinsey  
Anthem—"As Blooms The Rose"  
Solo—"Hallelujah! Christ is Born"  
.....Bischoff  
Mrs. Zella Soward  
Anthem—"Glory to God on High"  
.....Lamont  
Offertory—"Christmas Pastorale"  
.....J. H. Rodgers  
Trio—"Sleep Holy Babe"  
.....Matthews  
Miss Zella Soward, Mrs. James Wilson III, Mrs. Wm. H. Tilford  
Anthem—"The People That Walked in Darkness"  
Galbraith Solo—"Little Noel"  
.....Emile Louis  
Mrs. James Wilson III  
Anthem—"Slumbering in a Lowly Manger"  
.....C. T. Edwards  
Postlude—"Awake and Sing the Song"  
.....Burdett

## HELD IN DAYTON ON LIQUOR OFFENSE

W. H. Yeakerling, claiming Xenia as his residence, is under arrest in Dayton on a charge of violating the Crabbe act. He was arrested after his auto crashed head-on with a Third St. street car on the W. Third St. bridge in Dayton shortly before midnight Wednesday.

Yeakerling sustained minor injuries. After receiving medical attention at St. Elizabeth Hospital, he was removed to central police station. He will be arraigned Thursday. The Xenia city directory does not list anyone living in Xenia by that name.

## EAST END NEWS

MRS. JAMES HARRIS  
Correspondent  
Tel. 91-R

Mr. Jackson Parker, 66 Taylor St., left Tuesday morning for Butler, Ga., to be the guest of relatives and friends during the holiday season.

The Married Ladies' Afternoon Club has been postponed indefinitely.

The Christmas cantata of the Zion Baptist Sunday School will be rendered Monday evening in the Sunday School room. At that time the annual distribution for the children together with the Christmas tree exercises will be held.

The Eureka Pleasure Club which was to have met at the residence of Mrs. Marietta Moore has been postponed until Friday, December 28.

The Women's Mutual Benefit Society will meet Thursday night at

the home of Mrs. Jennie Thomas, E. Main St.

The Christian Church members met at the church for business Wednesday night. A fine crowd was present and all business was settled up for the year. The pulpit is vacant at present but will be filled with able speakers by elders Crenshaw and Banks until a pastor is called.

## FURNISHES BOND

Roy Crader, Bath Twp., who will be tried in Probate Court Saturday morning, December 29 on three charges of operating an auto while intoxicated, transporting and possessing liquor, was ordered released from custody by Judge S. C. Wright pending the trial when Crader furnished appearance bond comprising \$200 in cash, a diamond ring and his automobile. He deposited the articles and money as security with Sheriff Oliver Tate.

## ACCUSED MISSING

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 20.—Deputy sheriffs today were still searching for six election booth workers who were named in twenty-six indictments returned by the special vote fraud grand jury. Visits to the homes of the men sought proved unsuccessful. Deputy Sheriff Gideon Habschaw, who is directing the hunt, declared.

## NEEDLE IN FOOT

Attorney Harry D. Smith has been walking with the aid of a cane several days, because of an injury to his left foot. While hunting recently, he fractured a small bone in his foot and when an X-ray was taken, it was found that a portion of a needle was imbedded in the side of the foot. The fragment had been in his foot since he played barefoot when a boy but had not caused Mr. Smith any trouble.

## POSTPONE HEARING

County Commissioners have postponed further consideration of claims for compensation and damage filed in connection with the Clinton and Yellow Springs Road improvement, until Wednesday, December 26 at 2 p. m. Hearing of the claims had been scheduled for December 19.

## NO MORE MEETINGS

Regular meetings of Troop No. 41, Boy Scouts of America, will be dispensed with until after the Christmas holidays, according to Scoutmaster R. H. Kingsbury.

## ORPHIUM

TONIGHT

William C. De Mille Presents  
VERA REYNOLDS

In

"ALMOST HUMAN"

Also Bob Curwood 2 reel western drama and  
Pathe News

FRIDAY ONE NIGHT ONLY

"MAKING THE VARSITY"

A thrilling collegiate drama

With Rex Lease, Gladys Hulette and Edith Yorke  
Also a thrilling 2 reel Western drama

## LAMPS THAT BRING CHRISTMAS JOY

Just Received a Shipment Of Mica Composition And Pig-Skin Shades In Bridge And Junior Lamps

Table  
Lamps in  
Italian  
Pottery.  
Green, Old  
Rose and  
Yellow Bed  
and  
Boudoir  
Lamps in  
a Gift Box



End Table  
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## ATWATER KENT RADIO

1929  
4 all-electric sets

for the 3d million families

MODEL 40. A powerful A. C. set that uses 6 A. C. tubes and 1 rectifying tube. Without tubes, \$77.

Radio Speakers, in three sizes, \$20 each.

MODEL 42. An A. C. set with many cabinet refinements and automatic line voltage control. Same tubes as Model 40. Less tubes, \$56.

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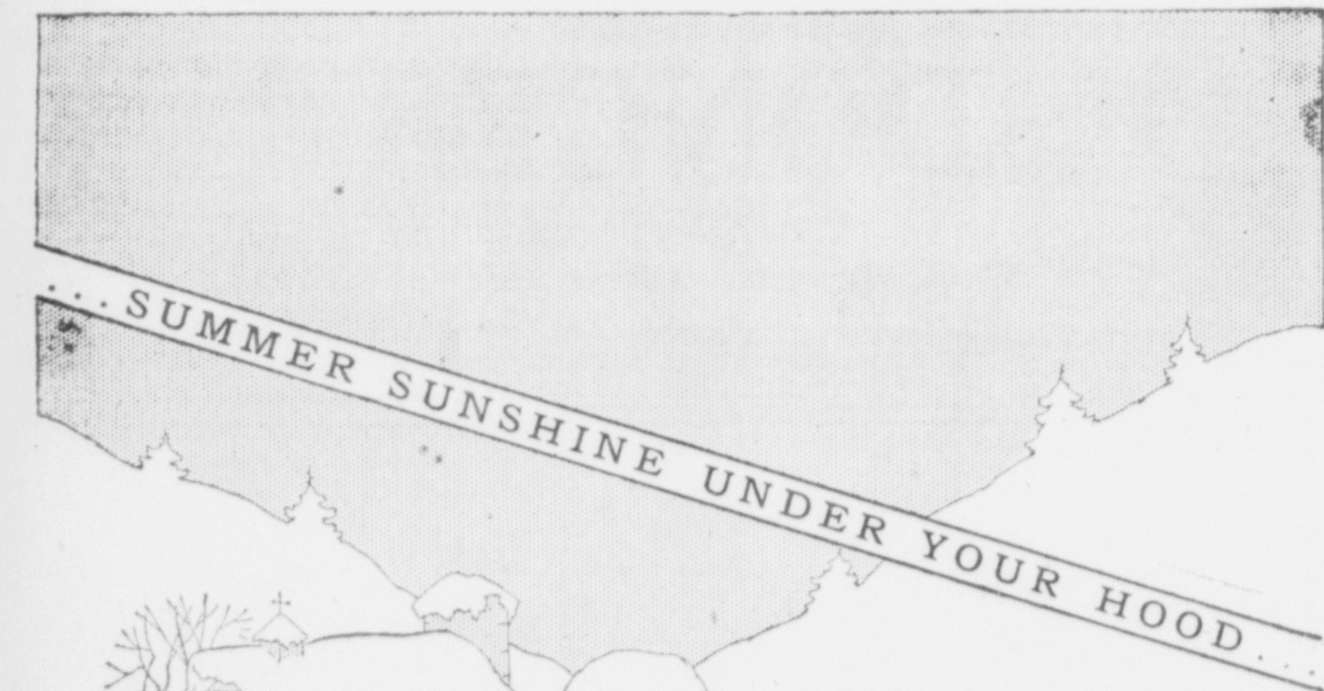
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**11 1/2c**

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HOME MADE Mixed Candies Peanut Brittle Taffy and Cocoanut Crisp	HOME MADE Chocolate Drops Cocoanut Kisses Cocoanut Bon-Bons Klondikes	HOME MADE Assorted Chocolate Creams Bon-Bons
<b>30c, 3 lbs. 75c</b>	<b>40c, 3 lbs. \$1</b>	<b>50c, 3 lbs. \$1.25</b>

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# SECOND HIBBERT TRIAL JURY DISAGREES AND IS DISCHARGED

When it failed to reach a verdict after fifteen hours of deliberation, the jury in the second trial of James T. Hibbert, proprietor of the Bijou Theater, 19 Green St., indicted for violation of the Sunday "blue laws" by exhibiting motion pictures on Sunday, was discharged by Common Pleas Judge R. L. Gowdy at 4:10 p. m. Wednesday.

The jury, when it was dismissed, stood ten to two for conviction. Twenty-four ballots were taken, according to Herbert Corry, foreman of the jury.

Court attaches understand that first ballots taken showed the jury stood eight to four for conviction. This number gradually was reduced to nine to three and finally stood at ten to two where the jury was hopelessly deadlocked.

The jury received the case at 2 p. m. Tuesday and was locked up at a hotel overnight under instructions of Judge Gowdy when it

## DICKENS' FAMOUS CHRISTMAS CAROL STAGED BY PUPILS

The immortal "Christmas Carol" by Dickens was presented as an appropriate part of the Christmas program by pupils of St. Brigid School in the school auditorium Wednesday evening.

Philip Campbell capably took the role of "Ebenezer Scrooge" and he was supported by a large cast, each student performing his part splendidly.

The story of "Christmas Carol" is well known and the young actors entered aptly into the spirit of the play. The characters were taken as follows:

Ebenezer Scrooge—Philip Campbell.  
Fred, Scrooge's nephew—Neil Donovan.  
Bob Cratchet, Scrooge's clerk—Chas. Mangano, Francis Geiger.  
Gentlemen Solicitors—John Kyne.  
Ghost of Marley—John Bennett.



Ghost of Christmas Past—Catherine Osborn.  
Ghost of Christmas Present—Marguerite Sears.  
Ghost of Christmas Yet to Come—Mary Louise Roach.  
Scrooge as a child—Robert Haller.  
Fan, his sister—Helen Louise Allen.  
Pezziwig, Scrooge's old master—Chas. McNamee.  
Ebenezer, as a boy—John King.  
Dick, his pal—Leo Foley.  
Scrooge's old sweetheart—Helen Downes.  
Mrs. Fezziwig—Margaret McDonnell.  
Scrooge as a young man—Lawrence Horvick.  
Mrs. Cratchet—Mary Ashbaugh.  
Tiny Tim—John Netherton.  
Cratchet Children—Anastasia Murray, Margaret Bentley, Frances Foody.  
Fred's wife—Anna Rachford.  
Fred's sisters—Anna Klein, Margaret Ryan.  
Topper, a bachelor—Francis Geiger.  
Mrs. Haines—Vera McCabe.  
Mrs. Dilber—Frances Haller.  
Mrs. York—Josephine Graham.  
The Undertaker—Chas. Davis.  
Old Joe—Dan Donovan.  
Jack—Guido Pesavento.  
Choristers—Kathleen Downey, Vera McCabe, Mary Louise Hamma, Martha Herr, Ellen McCurran, Elizabeth Hoag, Mary Kyne, Ruth Killeen, Edna Gallagher, Mary Ernst.  
The program preceding the play

included exercises by the younger children of the school. The opening number was "The Star Above the Manger" by grades five and six followed by "A Warning," by grades seven and eight; "Poor Father," by grades three and four and a tableau "A Little Child at the Christmas Crib," by grades one and two.

## DUNCAN TRIAL JURY SELECTED IN SHORT ORDER ON THURSDAY

Speeding through the selection of a jury in less than an hour, the state laid the groundwork of its case Thursday morning against Harry Duncan, 19, as his trial on an indictment for burglary and larceny opened in Common Pleas Court. The jury is composed of eight women and four men.

Providing Duncan's case is finished Thursday, Robert Johnson, 24, will receive a jury trial Friday on a similar indictment.

Police arrested the youths after it is alleged they broke into the private garage of Gilbert R. Hisey, 410 Cincinnati Ave., October 24. They were indicted by the October

grand jury at a recess session.

The pair also face charges of arson in connection with an unsuccessful attempt to burn the County Jail building on the morning the grand jury was in session. They pleaded not guilty before a justice of the peace and were held to the January grand jury on the latest charge.

In the event they are convicted of burglary and larceny and are sentenced, they will be returned to Xenia to face possible trial on arson charges. Both youths have reformatory records. For the last two weeks they have been held in the Montgomery County Jail for sale keeping.

Attorney Forest Dunkle is acting as defense counsel for Duncan.

## AUTO LICENSE SALE IS RUNNING BEHIND LAST YEAR RECORD

Dilver Belden, auto club secretary, who is in charge of the distribution of 1929 auto license tags in Greene County, announced Thursday that the sale is running nearly 2,000 plates behind the quota for this time last year and

that it will be practically impossible to take care of the expected "eleventh hour" rush during the few remaining days.

The time for purchasing the plates expires December 31 and it is emphasized that there will be no extension of time granted. Beginning January 1, all autos must be equipped with the new plates or the owners will risk arrest.

The distribution so far this year is the least recorded in the four years. Secretary Belden has had charge of the tag sale, he reported. Less than 500 plates have been disposed of in comparison with five times that number at this time in 1927.

The auto club has opened a branch office in the Dakin Bldg., to take care of applicants and has

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Hosiery for Women Full-fashioned — mercerized top and sole — smart colors.  
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TUNE IN ON STATION WJAY



## SECOND HIBBERT TRIAL JURY DISAGREES AND IS DISCHARGED

When it failed to reach a verdict after fifteen hours of deliberation, the jury in the second trial of James T. Hibbert, proprietor of the Bijou Theater, 19 Green St., indicted for violation of the Sunday blue laws by exhibiting motion pictures on Sunday, was discharged by Common Pleas Judge L. L. Gowdy at 4:10 p. m. Wednesday.

The jury, when it was dismissed, stood ten to two for conviction. Twenty-four ballots were taken, according to Herbert Corry, foreman of the jury.

Court attaches understand that first ballots taken showed the jury stood eight to four for conviction. This number gradually was reduced to nine to three and finally stood at ten to two where the jury was hopelessly deadlocked.

The jury received the case at 2 p. m. Tuesday and was locked up in a hotel overnight under instructions of Judge Gowdy when it failed to reach an agreement at 10 p. m. It resumed its consideration of the case at 9 a. m. Wednesday. The jury was composed of seven men and five women.

The jury disagreement corresponds with the result of the first trial of the case a month ago, the first jury having also disagreed. Judge Gowdy is quoted as saying that a third trial of the case will be held, although a date has not been assigned.

Henry L. Binder, proprietor of the Orpheum Theater, also indicted by the October grand jury, faces trial on a similar charge, but it is believed his trial will not be assigned until the Hibbert case is finally disposed of.

## DICKENS' FAMOUS CHRISTMAS CAROL STAGED BY PUPILS

The immortal "Christmas Carol" by Dickens was presented as an appropriate part of the Christmas program by pupils of St. Brigid School in the school auditorium Wednesday evening.

Philip Campbell capably took the role of "Ebenezer Scrooge" and he was supported by a large cast, each student performing his part splendidly.

The story of "Christmas Carol" is well known and the young actors entered aptly into the spirit of the play. The characters were taken as follows:

Ebenezer Scrooge—Philip Campbell.  
Fred, Scrooge's nephew—Neil Donovan.  
Bob Cratchit, Scrooge's clerk—Chas. Mangana.  
Francis Geiger, Gentlemen Solicitors—John Kyne.  
Ghost of Marley—John Bennett.



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Ghost of Christmas Present—Marguerite Sears.  
Ghost of Christmas Yet to Come—Mary Louise Roach.  
Scrooge as a child—Robert Haller.  
Fan, his sister—Helen Louise Allen.  
Fuzziwig, Scrooge's old master—Chas. McNamee.  
Ebenezer, as a boy—John King.  
Dick, his pal—Leo Foley.  
Scrooge's old sweetheart—Helen Downes.  
Mrs. Fezziwig—Margaret McDonnell.  
Scrooge as a young man—Lawrence Hornick.  
Mrs. Cratchit—Mary Ashbaugh.  
Tiny Tim—John Netherton.  
Cratchit Children—Anastasia Murray, Margaret Bentley, Frances Foody.  
Fred's wife—Anna Rachford.  
Fred's sisters—Anna Klein, Margaret Ryan.  
Topper, a bachelor—Francis Geiger.  
Mrs. Haines—Vera McCabe.  
Mrs. Dilber—Frances Haller.  
Mrs. York—Josephine Graham.  
The Undertaker—Chas. Davis.  
Old Joe—Dan Donovan.  
Jack—Guido Pesavento.  
Choristers—Kathleen Downey, Vera McCabe, Mary Louise Hamma, Martha Herr, Ellen McCurran, Elizabeth Hoag, Mary Kyne, Ruth Killeen, Edna Galliger, Mary Ernst.  
The program preceding the play

included exercises by the younger children of the school. The opening number was "The Star Above the Manger" by grades five and six followed by "A Warning," by grades seven and eight; "Poor Father," by grades three and four and a tableau "A Little Child at the Christmas Crib," by grades one and two.

## DUNCAN TRIAL JURY SELECTED IN SHORT ORDER ON THURSDAY

Speeding through the selection of a jury in less than an hour, the state laid the groundwork of its case Thursday morning against Harry Duncan, 19, as his trial on an indictment for burglary and larceny opened in Common Pleas Court. The jury is composed of eight women and four men.

Providing Duncan's case is finished Thursday, Robert Johnson, 24, will receive a jury trial Friday on a similar indictment.

Police arrested the youths after it is alleged they broke into the private garage of Gilbert R. Hisey, 410 Cincinnati Ave., October 24. They were indicted by the October

grand jury at a recess session.

The pair also face charges of arson in connection with an unsuccessful attempt to burn the County Jail building on the morning the grand jury was in session. They pleaded not guilty before a justice of the peace and were held to the January grand jury on the latest charge.

In the event they are convicted of burglary and larceny and are sentenced, they will be returned to Xenia to face possible trial on arson charges. Both youths have reformatory records. For the last two weeks they have been held in the Montgomery County Jail for safe keeping.

Attorney Forest Dunkle is acting as defense counsel for Duncan.

## AUTO LICENSE SALE IS RUNNING BEHIND LAST YEAR RECORD

Dwight Belden, auto club secretary, who is in charge of the distribution of 1929 auto license tags in Greene County, announced Thursday that the sale is running nearly 2,000 plates behind the quota for this time last year and

that it will be practically impossible to take care of the expected "eleventh hour" rush during the few remaining days.

The time for purchasing the plates expires December 31 and it is emphasized that there will be no extension of time granted. Beginning January 1, all autos must be equipped with the new plates or the owners will risk arrest.

The distribution so far this year is the least recorded in the four years Secretary Belden has had charge of the tag sale, he reported. Less than 500 plates have been disposed of in comparison with five times that number at this time in 1927.

The auto club has opened a branch office in the Dakin Bldg. to take care of applicants and has

employed a corps of eight assistants to aid in the license distribution. It is warned, however, that the office will not remain open in the evenings and that motorists have only a few more days left in which to equip their cars with plates before the deadline date.

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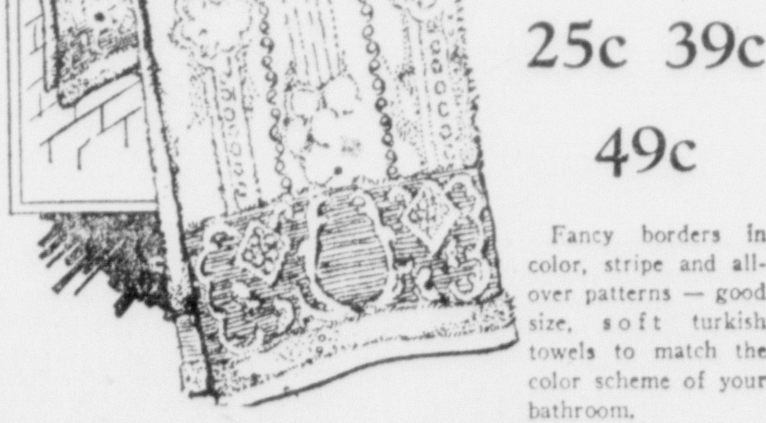
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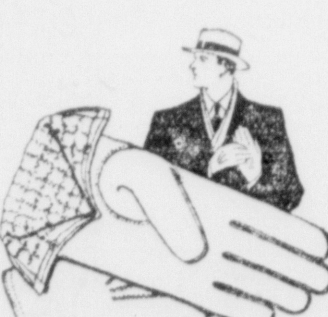


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## NATIONAL GUARD'S DAUGHTER YEARNS FOR AMERICAN DOLL

By HILLIER KRIEGBAUM  
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—Rachel Eaton, 8, "Daughter" of the twenty-eighth division of the Pennsylvania National Guard, today looked forward to her first American Christmas when Santa Claus will bring her a doll which walks, talks and closes its eyes.

The little girl was born in France and came to this country this year with her father, Captain James M. Eaton, who died in New York City one day after he had fulfilled his wish to see his native land before he died.

Little Rachel who had been the darling of the honor guard which went to Europe to dedicate Pennsylvania's war memorials in France was adopted by the national guard division. Since she came to Philadelphia she has been living with Robert M. Clutch of Darby and his family. During the late summer she spent some time at the sea shore in the Clutch cottage with the Clutch children.

Rachel told excitedly about what will be her first sight of Santa Claus. She wants him to bring her the doll, a blackboard, a donkey game and then, as if the make sure Santa would not feel offended, she added "and a stocking filled with anything else Santa wants to bring me."

The Clutches have legally adopted the little girl who was under the protection of a committee of five including Clutch, an officer in the national guard. A court recently approved the adoption.

## Calendar Of Events

(Notices of coming events in social or fraternal circles, lodge meetings, club gatherings or benefits will be published in this column free of charge. Phone notices not more than ten days preceding the event itself.)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20:

Red Men  
P. of X. D. of A.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21:

Eagles.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22:

Market, Neeld's, 9 a. m., Third Div. Ladies' Aid, First United Presbyterian Church.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24:

Xenia S. P. O.  
D. of P.  
Modern Woodmen.  
Rebekahs.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25:

Obedient Council D. of A. Kiwanis.  
Rotary.  
Xenia I. O. O. F.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26:

Church Prayer meetings.  
Jr. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
L. O. O. M.

## ZIMMERMAN

The Christmas pageant, "Like the Wise Men," will be given by members of the Sunday School at

Piles Can Be Cured  
Without Surgery

An instructive book has been published by Dr. L. M. Ross, the rectal specialist. This book tells how sufferers from piles can be quickly and easily cured without the use of the knife, scissors, burning, electricity or any cutting method, without confinement to bed and no hospital bills to pay.

This method has been a success for twenty-five years and in thousands of cases. This book is sent postpaid free to persons afflicted with piles or other rectal trouble who clip this item and mail it with name and address to L. M. Ross, M. D., 131 East State St., Columbus, Ohio. Adv.

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For Young Roasts, 5 lbs. and over ..... 25c  
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Spring Geese, delivered ..... 17c  
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this place Sunday, December 23, at 7:30 p. m.

Cast of characters: The Little Boy who had not forgotten the Christmas, Catherine Koogler; the Spirit, poorest little boy, Eva Smart; the childless woman, Mrs. Lewis Bailey; the minister, H. C. Haverstick; Mr. Rich, Lawrence Snyder; soloists, Mrs. Harold Durnbaugh, Mrs. Friend Couser, Alice Coy; duets, Mrs. Durnbaugh, Miss Frances O'Hara, Mrs. Ray Rosell, Mrs. Fred Smart, Miss Mary Haverstick, Miss Thelma Turner; reader, Mrs. Friend Couser; other parts, children and adult church members; Mrs. Joe Coy, organist; J. P. Couser, song leader; Mrs. H. M. Stewart, director. Everyone cordially invited to be present.

The school children will present an interesting program of songs, plays and recitations at the school house Friday, December 21 at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is invited.

The two weeks' revival at this place conducted by Rev. Ulrey and Rev. Winger of N. Manchester, Ind., closed December 22. Rev. Eldemiller baptized seven candidates Monday evening December 3 at the East Dayton Church of the Brethren as follows: Harold and Frank Weirick, Mrs. Stella Gentry, Mary Ferguson, Catherine Koogler, Ohmer Darding, Miss Nellie Wilson.

Special musical numbers almost every evening were given by the following: duet, Rev. and Mrs. G.

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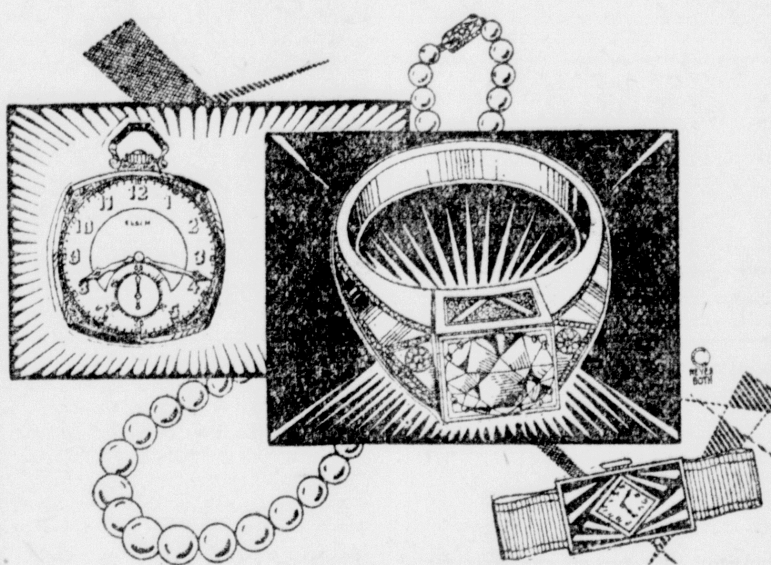
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5c and up to \$1.00

## Drug Specials, Too!

\$1.20 Size

Listerine

Antiseptic

79c

75c

Vick's

Vaporub

59c

50c

Pepsodent

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Paste

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Pompeian

Face

Powder

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Velocipedes

**\$7.95 up**

Not The Usual

Toy But A

Substantial

Bicycle Built

Vehicle

Buy Your

Wheel Toys Where Service Is Always At

Your Command

**BICYCLES ..... \$28.50 up**

**SCOOTERS ..... \$4.50**

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## NATIONAL GUARD'S DAUGHTER YEARNS FOR AMERICAN DOLL

By HILLIER KRIEGBAUM  
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—Rachel Eaton, 8, "Daughter" of the twenty-eighth division of the Pennsylvania National Guard, today looked forward to her first American Christmas when Santa Claus will bring her a doll which walks, talks and closes its eyes.

The little girl was born in France and came to this country this year with her father, Captain James M. Eaton, who died in New York City one day after he had fulfilled his wish to see his native land before he died.

Little Rachel who had been the darling of the honor guard which went to Europe to dedicate Pennsylvania's war memorials in France was adopted by the national guard division. Since she came to Philadelphia she has been living with Robert M. Clutch of Darby and his family. During the late summer she spent some time at the sea shore in the Clutch cottage with the Clutch children.

Rachel told excitedly about what will be her first sight of Santa Claus. She wants him to bring her the doll, a blackboard, a donkey game and then, as if the make sure Santa would not feel offended, she added "and a stocking filled with anything else Santa wants to bring me."

The Clutches have legally adopted the little girl who was under the protection of a committee of five including Clutch, an officer in the national guard. A court recently approved the adoption.

## SCOUT NEWS

The Indian Patrol of Troop No. 15, Boy Scouts of America, held an interesting meeting at the home of Scout R. Derrick Monday night.

Tuesday night the Junior Patrol of the troop held a surprise party on Scout Earl Short and a good time was reported.

Announcement is also made that the Tiger Patrol of the same troop will enjoy a Christmas party at the home of Scout Philip Aultman Thursday night.

## Calendar Of Events

(Notices of coming events in social or fraternal circles, lodge meetings, club gatherings or benefits will be published in this column free of charge. Phone notices not more than ten days preceding the event itself.)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20:

Red Men  
D. of P.  
P. of X. D. of A.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21:

Eagles.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22:

Market, Neel's, 9 a. m., Third Div. Ladies' Aid, First United Presbyterian Church.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24:

Xenia S. P. O.  
D. of P.  
Modern Woodmen.  
Rebeks.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25:

Obedient Council D. of A. Kiwanis.  
Rotary.  
Xenia I. O. O. F.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26:

Church Prayer meetings.  
Jr. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
L. O. O. M.

## ZIMMERMAN

The Christmas pageant, "Like the Wise Men," will be given by members of the Sunday School at

Piles Can Be Cured  
Without Surgery

An instructive book has been published by Dr. L. M. Ross, the rectal specialist. This book tells how sufferers from piles can be quickly and easily cured without the use of the knife, scissors, burning, electricity or any cutting method, without confinement to bed and no hospital bills to pay.

This method has been a success for twenty-five years and in thousands of cases. This book is sent postpaid free to persons afflicted with piles or other rectal trouble who clip this item and mail it with name and address to L. M. Ross, M. D., 131 East State St., Columbus, Ohio. Adv.

## CHICKEN HOUSE

524 W. Second St. Phone 1210  
In Rear of Dwelling

## Prices Paid at the Plant

For Young Roasts, 5 lbs. and over ..... 25c  
Heavy Hens, 5 lbs. and over, 25c. On call ..... 24c  
Spring Geese, delivered ..... 17c  
Ducks must be 6 lbs. White Pekins ..... 19c

## Biscuits

TONIGHT  
"UNDER THE BLACK EAGLE"  
With  
FLASH THE WONDER DOG  
Also Latest News Events

FRIDAY

CORINNE GRIFFITH

In

"THREE HOURS"

Adapted from the novel "Purple and Fine Linen"

Also A Two Reel Comedy

Top off their stockings with a Xmas coupon book \$2.50



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this place Sunday, December 23, at 7:30 p. m.

Cast of characters: The little boy who had not forgotten the Christ Child, Alice Coy; the Christmas Spirit, Catherine Kogler; the poorest little boy, Eva Smart; the childless woman, Mrs. Lewis Bailey; the minister, H. C. Haverstick; Mr. Rich, Lawrence Snyder; soloists, Mrs. Harold Durnbaugh, Mrs. Friend Couser, Alice Coy; duets, Mrs. Durnbaugh, Miss Frances O'Hara, Mrs. Ray Rosell, Mrs. Fred Smart, Miss Mary Haverstick, Miss Thelma Turner; reader, Mrs. Friend Couser; other parts, children and adult church members; Mrs. Joe Coy, organist; J. P. Couser, song leader; Mrs. H. M. Stewart, director. Everyone cordially invited to be present.

The school children will present an interesting program of songs, plays and recitations at the school house Friday, December 21 at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is invited.

The two weeks' revival at this place conducted by Rev. Ulrey and Rev. Winger of N. Manchester, Ind., closed December 2. Rev. Eldemiller baptized seven candidates Monday evening December 3 at the East Dayton Church of the Brethren as follows: Harold and Frank Weirick, Mrs. Stella Gentner, Mary Ferguson, Catherine Kogler, Ohmer Darding, Miss Nellie Wilson.

Special musical numbers almost every evening were given by the following: duet, Rev. and Mrs. G.

**MARKET**  
Young Friends Group  
of Waynesville Friends  
Church  
Chicken Noodles, Pies,  
Cakes, Etc.,  
SATURDAY, DEC. 22,  
At  
Gegner's Meat Market  
At 9 O'clock

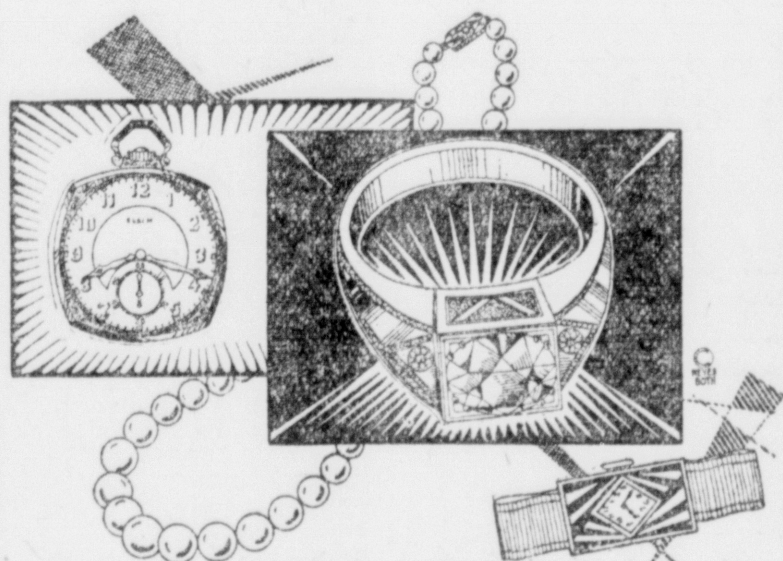
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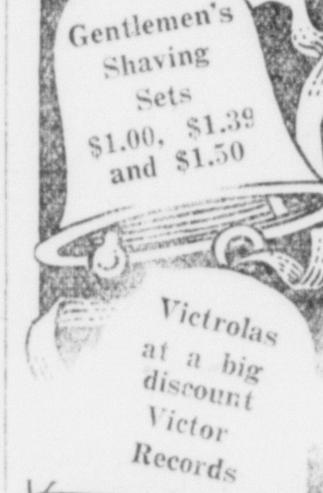
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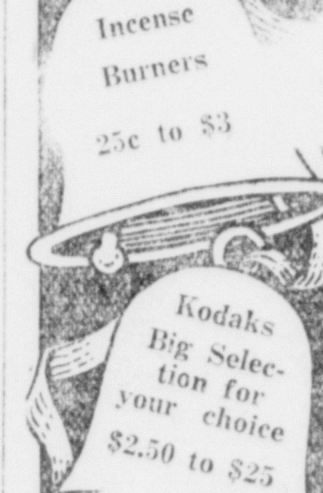


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Brushes  
and Sets  
\$2.50 to \$10

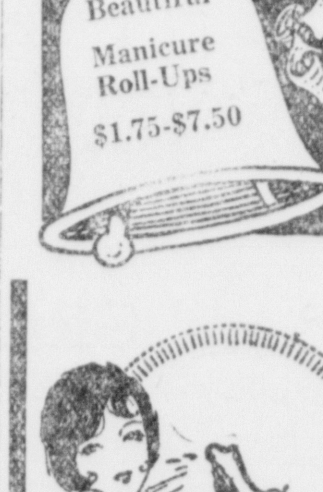
Fancy Box  
Stationery  
Big Selection  
50c to \$6.50



Gentlemen's  
Shaving  
Sets  
\$1.00, \$1.39  
and \$1.50



Victrolas  
at a big  
discount  
Victor  
Records



Kodaks  
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for your choice  
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## CALLOUSES

Sure Quick Relief

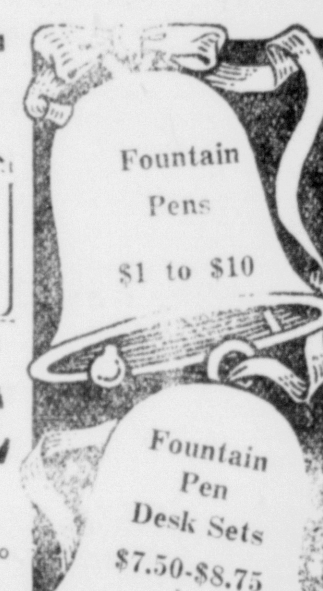
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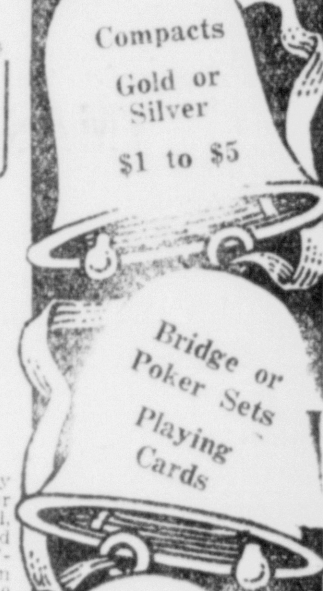
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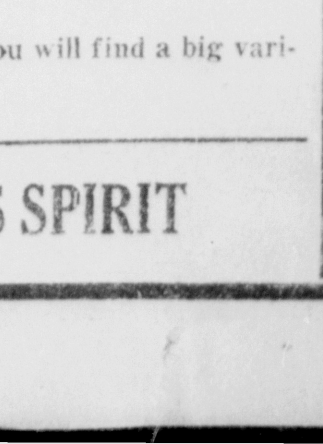
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Gold or  
Silver  
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Guaranteed  
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Complete  
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Leather  
Key Cases  
Bill Folds  
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CHRYSANTHEMUMS—Also Christmas and cemetery wreaths. R. O. Douglas, Cor. Washington and Monroe Sts.

#### 8 Lost and Found

LOST—Sul, black and white fox hound. Call Roy Carr, New Burlington, Ohio.

#### LOST—German Police dog, tan and black. Phone 661-B. Reward.

#### 9 Dry Cleaning, Laundry

HAND LAUNDRY—We call for and deliver. Best of work—cheapest price. JEAN AND JEAN, 174 1/2 S. Detroit St.

#### 12 Professional Services

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#### 13 Roofing, Plumbing

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#### 18 Commercial Hauling

HAULING DAILY, Dayton to Xenia. Xenia to Wilmington. House to house delivery. Jesse E. Gilbert.

#### 19 Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Young man with good education, appearance and ability for office connection, with new concern. Small secured investment as a guarantee of good faith. Address Box 260, Gazette, for interview. Permanent position.

#### 25 Dogs—Canaries—Pets.

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#### 29 Miscellaneous For Sale

VICTOR PHONOGRAPH, cabinet style, price \$25.00. John Harbino, Allen Building.

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#### FOR RENT—80 acre farm, cash rent \$250; also rubber tire buggy for sale. Add. 42 Charles St.

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GOOD FRESHMAN RADIO. Phone 362-W.

FOR SALE cheap, a \$500 player piano. Call 443-W.

PIANOS FOR \$49.50—\$50 monthly. John Harbino, Allen Building.

#### 36 Rooms—Furnished

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, downstairs, adults only. Phone 1066-J.

#### 39 Houses—Furnished

FURNISHED apartment, five rooms and bath. Phone 147-W.

#### 41 Miscellaneous For Rent

\$150 YEARLY rents 19 acre farm. John Harbino, Allen Building.

#### 43 Houses For Sale

FOR IMMEDIATE sale, owner leaving town, a splendid new, modern, up-to-date 5 room bungalow; lot 70x120, fruit and shrubbery, all in fine condition. You will like this one. See Harbino and Bales, 17, Allen Bldg., Xenia, O.

#### 47 Business Opportunities

CHattel LOANS. Notes Bought. Second Mortgages. John Harbino, Allen Building.

#### 55 Used Cars For Sale

#### SEE THESE BAR-GAIN CARS BEFORE YOU BUY

#### 1928 Olds Demonstrator

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#### 1927 Essex Coupe

#### 1927 Chev. Coach

#### 1926 Olds Coach

#### 1926 Studebaker Coach

#### 1925 Buick Coach

#### 1925 Olds Coach

#### 1923 Olds Touring

#### 1921 Olds Touring

#### BALES

#### MOTOR SALES

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#### 56 Auctioneers

AUCTIONEER—Joe Gordon. Phone Cedarville or Box No. 546.

#### SHOP -R- GUIDE

#### GIFTS FOR HER

CANDY FOR CHRISTMAS—Attractive gift boxes, fine quality confectionery, delicious chocolates. Xenia Candy Kitchen.

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GIVE HER a radio for Christmas, but be sure and hear the Kolster first. Miller Electric.

#### CONVENIENCE in selection and real values secured quickly through Shop-R-Guide for Christmas gifts, for every member of the family.

#### BRIDGE and junior lamps, Smokers, magazine baskets, silk pillows, and tables and foot stools. Buy for less. Brown Furniture Store.

#### LADIES first quality Rayonette \$2 at Sans Shoe Store.

#### GET YOUR Christmas photos at CANY'S, the leader.

ELECTRIC PERCOLATORS, toasters, waffle irons, curling irons. A gift that will please her. Miller Electric.

#### OLD LADIES warm lined shoes at Sans Shoe Store, 32 East Main St.

BIRDS—High grade CANARIES, for Christmas gifts. Trained singers. All prices. Henry Engelking, 229 N. West St.

#### GIFTS FOR HOME

HAVE CANY photograph the family around your fireplace.

WHAT to give and where to get it is easily answered in the columns of the SHOP-R-GUIDE.

#### GIFTS FOR CHILDREN

HOLIDAY SLIPPERS, all styles, all sizes, at Sans Shoe Store.

TOYS OF ALL descriptions for Christmas, at reduced prices. Please the "Kiddies" Styles Shoe Store, 229 N. West St.

#### A WIDE VARIETY of suitable suggestions in the Shop-R-Guide makes the selection a pleasure and the purchase easy.

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Ford Coupe—(new tires, battery, looks good) .....\$95

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Open Evenings Green St. Phone 469

### CHAPTER XXVIII

Larry and Pat stood riveted to the doorway. Byrd still lay unconscious and inert in Jack's arms, as he wiped away the little pearls of dewy moisture that had broken out on her white forehead.

"Glimpy crickets! Get the camera and let's make a 'quickie'!" She's being rescued. Their aeroplane flipped them on a desert island.

Pat's tongue always rattled on, even though she hadn't the slightest idea what had happened or what she was saying. But Larry was already at Byrd's side.

"What's happened?" he asked, frowning.

"I dropped in a few minutes ago and just as I was ready to leave Byrd started to keel over. Must be the weather. This apartment's like a furnace tonight," Jack explained, as he helped get Byrd on the davenport.

Pat ran to the bathroom and brought a wet towel, which Larry took from her. His whole attitude had changed. He looked worried and anxious as he hung over Byrd, holding the towel to her face.

"Darned funny thing! Byrd's usually so strong and healthy!" he said, puzzled.

Byrd opened her eyes.

"How do you feel, dear?" he asked, softly. "Think I ought to have a doctor?"

"Oh, no, I'll be all right in a little while," she said, weakly. Her face was drained of every bit of color.

"I'll get to bed and I'll be all right in the morning."

Jack left rather hurriedly.

The next morning Byrd awoke just as the daylight was creeping like a blue and lavender fog through the little apartment. She slipped out of bed and gazed over the sleeping city, just beginning to stir like a great leviathan. The dawn couldn't touch you here, she thought. It seemed so remote. She wished she could run out on doors in her nightgown and feel the cool misty air pressing against her slender body, as she often did at home.

Finally she went back to bed. There was no reason for getting up at this unearthly hour, for there was nothing to see and nothing to do.

But she couldn't go back to sleep. As lay as hard as she would. The

events of the night before began to

tread ominously through her brain

—a great parade of huge, misshapen

thoughts that turned into things

with long, sinister arms that held

her tight in their clawing agony.

She was terrified at the thought

of the mire that Jack Duncan was

slowly but surely getting her into

and because of his association with

Larry in the Builders' Supply, she

seemed helpless about it. And that

very evening, she looked more and

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"Glimmy crickets! Get the camera and let's make a 'quicker!' She's being rescued. Their aeroplane flopped them on a desert island!" giggled Pat.

Pat's tongue always rattled on, even though she hadn't the slightest idea what had happened or what she was saying. But Larry was already at Byrd's side.

"What's happened?" he asked, frowning.

"I dropped in a few minutes ago and just as I was ready to leave Byrd started to keel over. Must be the weather. This apartment's like a furnace tonight." Jack explained, as he helped get Byrd on the davenport.

Pat ran to the bathroom and brought a wet towel, which Larry took from her. His whole attitude had changed. He looked worried and anxious as he hung over Byrd, holding the towel to her face.

"Darned funny thing! Byrd's usually so strong and healthy!" he said, puzzled.

Byrd opened her eyes.

"How do you feel, dear?" he asked, softly. "Think I ought to have a doctor?"

"Oh, no, I'll be all right in a little while," she said, weakly. Her face was drained of every bit of color. "I'll get to bed and I'll be all right in the morning."

Jack left rather hurriedly.

The next morning Byrd awoke just as the daylight was creeping like a blue and lavender fog through the little apartment. She slipped out of bed and gazed over the sleeping city, just beginning to stir like a great leviathan. The dawn couldn't touch her here, she thought. It seemed so remote. She wished she could run out of doors in her nightgown, with the cool, misty air pressing against her slender body, as she often did at home.

Finally she went back to bed. There was no reason for getting up at this ungodly hour, for there was nothing to see and nothing to do.

But she couldn't go back to sleep, try as hard as she would. The events of the night before began to trend unconsciously through her brain—a great parade of huge, misshapen thoughts that turned into things with long, sinister arms that held her tight in their clawing agony.

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But it was a different Larry that now hurried out to the breakfast alcove with deep, jagged frowns lining the fine, handsome breadth of his forehead.

"What in the dickens did Jack want last night, anyway?" he asked, abruptly. "Did he say anything about expecting me to be down in Columbus this week? I bet a dollar he came snooping around just to find out what I was doing."

Byrd looked up quickly.

Larry and Jack were both A No. 1 salesmen, but they had the same faults and the same virtues in business. Their opinions were blurred by a too sudden enthusiasm, and they were too easily depressed by first failures. Neither could see his own weaknesses, and was inclined to blame the other too quickly.

Byrd realized this. She must be careful not to increase that little antagonism that was already beginning to crop out.

But they both had strong business prejudices, and lacked the ordinary moral scruples.



# The Theater

By SAM LOVE

United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Strange arguments develop on Broadway, where values are different and things that are trivial elsewhere assume great importance, possibly under the radio-active effect of the Mazda bulbs.

For months Walter Winchell, the Rialto the original scenery for whose column in the Graphic has made him an acknowledged authority on Broadway slang and New Yorkese generally, has fought tooth, nail and linotype not only for his credit line as introducer of the classic phrase "making phoopee" but to force the rest of the world to spell it "whoopie" and not "whoopie."

Now the baby-talk colloquialism, "I fav down," is claimed in advertising in theatrical papers, which costs good money in advance, by Marie Hartman, of the vaudeville team of Hibbitt and Hartman. Miss Hartman is paying cash to tell the world that she has been falling down in public for twelve years and exclaiming each time, "I fav down!"

Miss Hartman's pride of authorship has been accentuated by the recent introduction of her phrase, slightly embellished, into a popular song. This is called, "I Fav Down and Go Boom!"

Maxwell Anderson's next on Broadway will be a play called "Gypsy," in which the delectable and workmanlike Miss Claborn Foster will have the leading role. "Gypsy" will be produced sometime during the Christmas season by Richard Herndon. The piece is awaited with more than usual interest because young Anderson, co-author of "What Price Glory" and "Gods of the Lightning," and author of "Saturday's Children" and one or two other exciting and serious efforts, has so far failed to write a dishonest or bad play. Only Eugene O'Neill's futurists receive more attention this season than Anderson's.

The theater may be a lot of fun out in Iowa and Texas, among amateurs and semi-pros, but the only place near Broadway where it is not either a desperate or cut-and-dried proposition is in Hoboken, N. J. Across the Hudson River, where the beer flows freely and a Strauss waltz is considered superior to George Antheil's best symphony for twelve bass drums and a player piano, Christopher Morley and his gang hold forth nightly in the ancient Rialto Theater.

It has become the smart thing in New York to organize a party and mellow one's self in Hoboken at the proudly decrepit Rialto. Morley's latest and most popular stunt has been to drag from a loft over

## Twenty Years '08- Ago '28

Application for a new franchise for the D. and X. Transit Co. in Greene County, to follow the right-of-way of the old R. T. Division from Xenia to a point east of Trebun, were connecting with the Dayton and Xenia division, which it will follow to the Montgomery County line, came up for hearing before County Commissioners.

Col. J. L. Smith, superintendent of the O. S. and S. O. Home for four years, has resigned. Hivling Stokes, James Adair and Phillip Prugh, students at Denison University at Granville, arrived home for the holiday vacation.

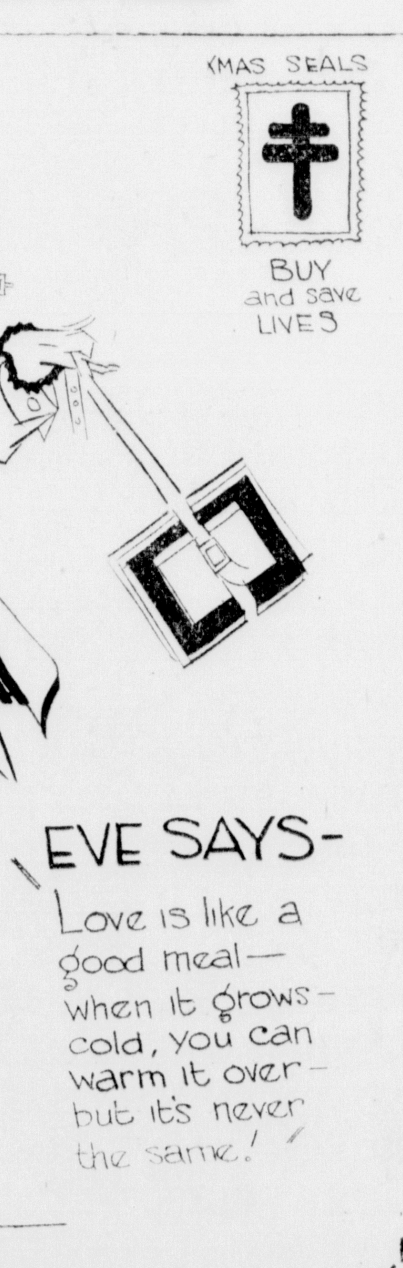
George Baldner, student in Cincinnati, had his left arm broken while cranking an auto at the garage where he is employed after school hours. He has arrived home to spend the holidays.



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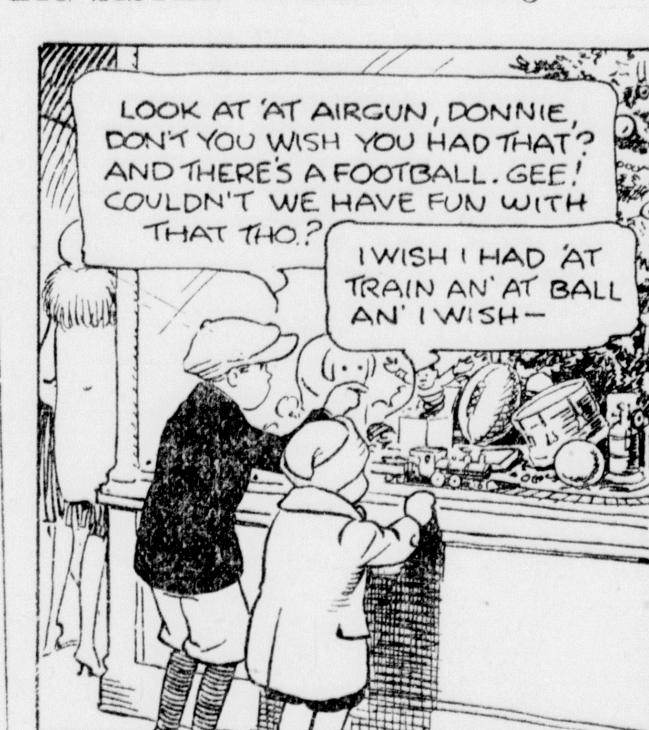
## THE GUMPS—Playing Safe.

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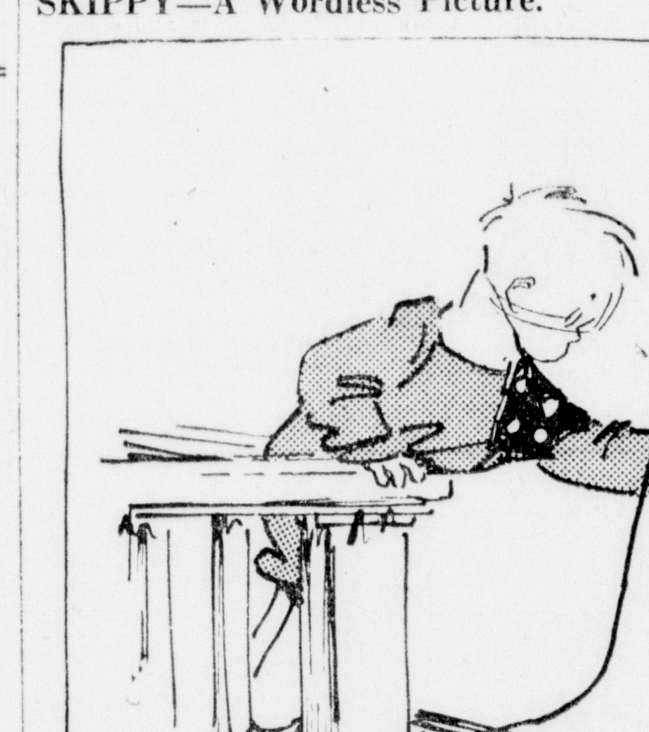
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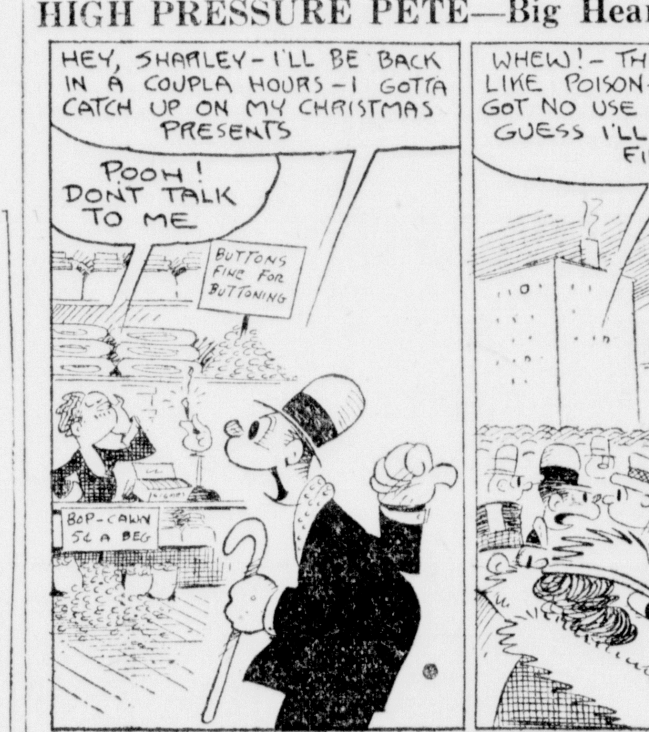
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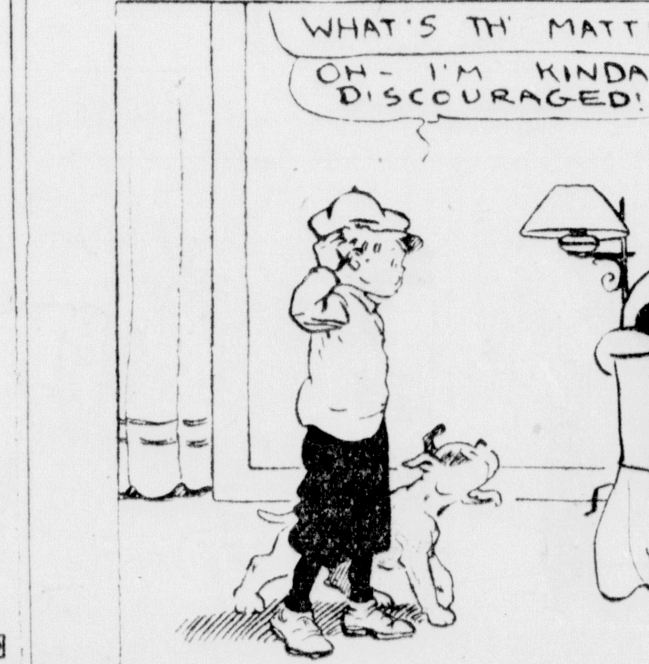
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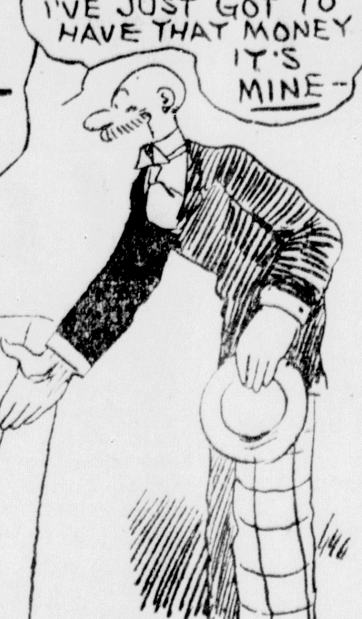
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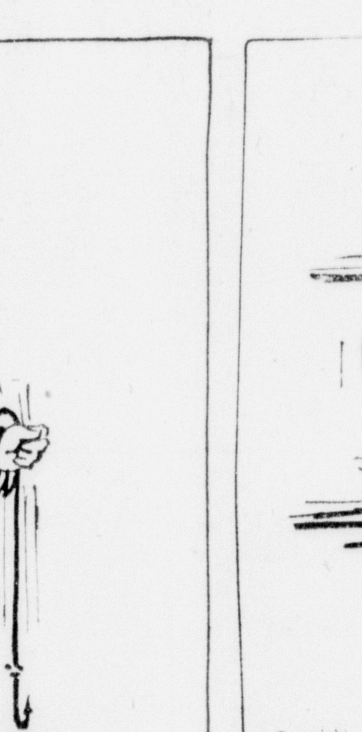
### WHAT WOULD YOU DO WITH IT? YOU HAVE PLENTY OF CIGARS—YOU'RE WALKING TO WORK YOU SAY—AND YOU'RE COMING HOME FOR LUNCH



### COME ON, LET'S HURRY I'LL SHOW YOU.



### GOT WHAT? WHERE IS IT?



### AN I WISH I HAD 'AT DRUM AN 'AT FIRE ENGINE AN 'AT WAGON AN—



### YOU WIN!—I WAS ONLY FOOLING! I HELD THE RECEIVER DOWN AND JUST PRETENDED—BUT—WERENT YOU JUST A LITTLE BIT JEALOUS?



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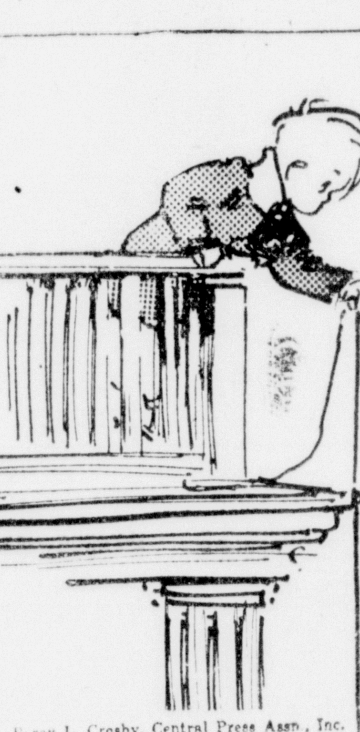
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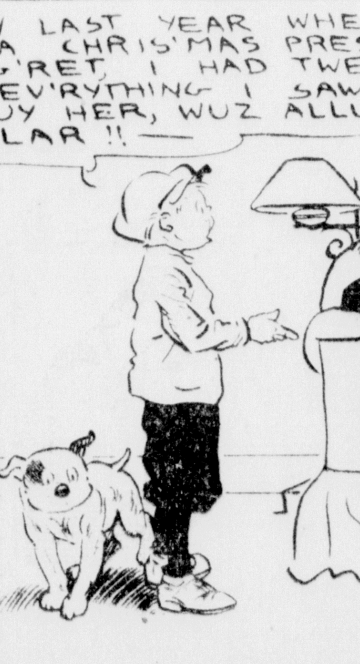
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# The Theater

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United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Strange arguments develop on Broadway, where values are different and things that are trivial elsewhere assume great importance, possibly under the radio-active effect of the Mazda bulbs.

For months Walter Winchell, whose column in the Graphic has made him an acknowledged authority on Broadway slang and New Yorkese generally, has fought tooth, nail and linotype not only for his credit line as introducer of the classic phrase "making phoopee" but to force the rest of the world to spell it "whoopie" and not "whoopee."

Now the baby-talk colloquialism, "I faw down," is claimed in advertising in theatrical papers, which costs good money in advance, by Marie Hartman, of the vaudeville team of Hibbitt and Hartman. Miss Hartman is paying cash to tell the world that she has been falling down in public for twelve years and exclaiming each time, "I faw down!"

Miss Hartman's pride of authorship has been accentuated by the recent introduction of her phrase, slightly embellished, into a popular song. This is called, "I Faw Down and Go Boom!"

Maxwell Anderson's next on Broadway will be a play called "Gypsy," in which the delectable and workmanlike Miss Claiborne Foster will have the leading role. "Gypsy" will be produced sometime during the Christmas season by Richard Herndon. The piece is awaited with more than usual interest because young Anderson, co-author of "What Price Glory" and "Gods of the Lightning," and author of "Saturday's Children" and one of two other exciting and serious efforts, has so far failed to write a dishonest or bad play. Only Eugene O'Neill's futurites receive more attention this season than Anderson's.

The theater may be a lot of fun out in Iowa and Texas, among amateurs and semi-pros, but the only place near Broadway where it is not either a desperate or cut-and-dried proposition is in Hoboken, N. J. Across the Hudson River, where the beer flows freely and a Strauss waltz is considered superior to George Antheil's best symphony for twelve bass drums and a player piano, Christopher Morley and his gang hold forth nightly in the ancient Rialto Theater.

It has become the smart thing in New York to organize a party and mellow one's self in Hoboken at the proudly decrepit Rialto. Morley's latest and most popular stunt has been to drag from a loft over

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Hivling Stokes, James Adair and Phillip Prugh, students at Denison University at Granville, arrived home for the holiday vacation.

George Baldwin, student in Cincinnati, had his left arm broken while cranking an auto at the garage where he is employed after school hours. He has arrived home to spend the holidays.

## NONSENSE



## SALLY'S SALLIES



## JUST AMONG US GIRLS



## THE GUMPS—Playing Safe.

### WHERE IS TOM CARR?

FORT WORTH, TEXAS ENTERTAINS THE EAGLE UNKNOWN— THAT BLAZING BROODING BLOOD SHOT EYE NARROWS INTO A SQUINT— AS IF THE BRAIN BACK OF IT WERE DRAWING CERTAIN DEDUCTIONS— THERE'S A SIGNIFICANCE TO EACH FURTIVE GLANCE—



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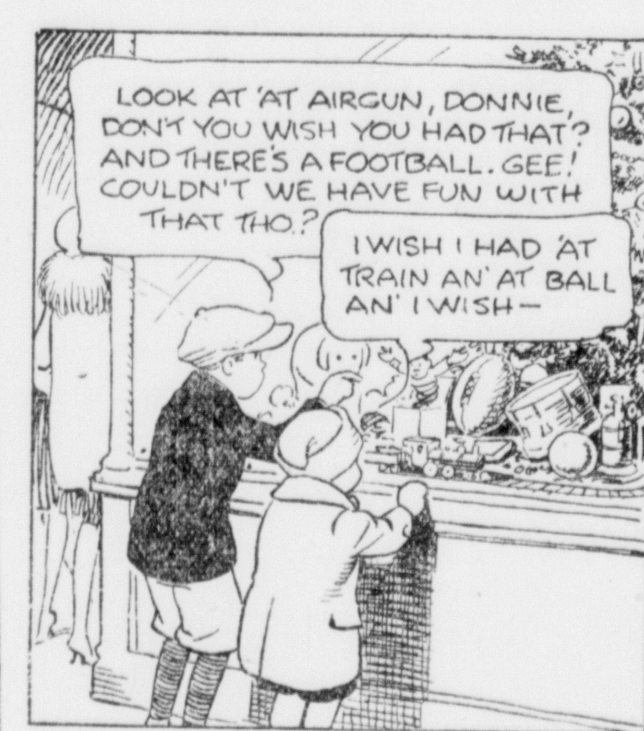
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WHAT WOULD YOU DO WITH IT? YOU HAVE PLENTY OF CIGARS— YOU'RE WALKING TO WORK YOU SAY— AND YOU'RE COMING HOME FOR LUNCH

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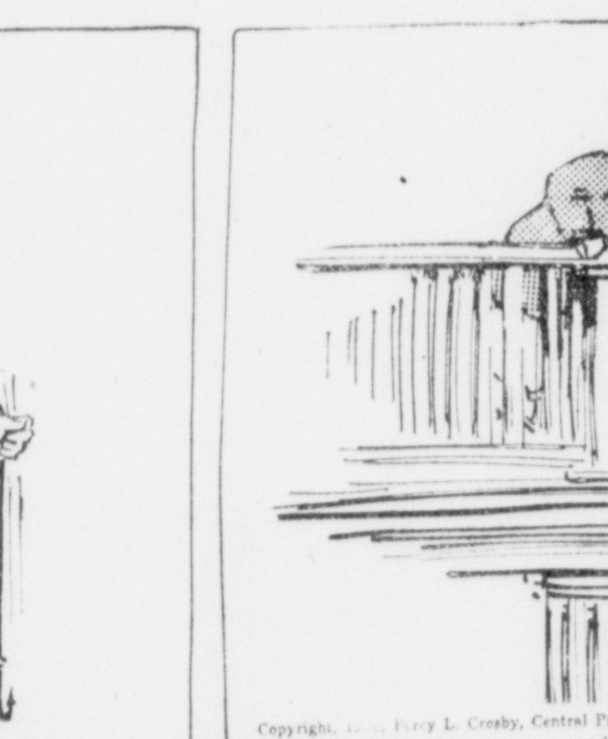
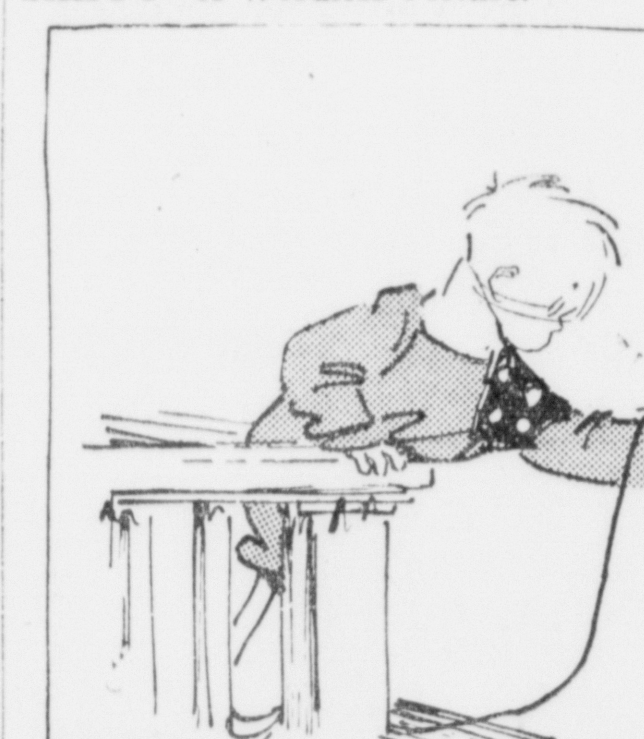
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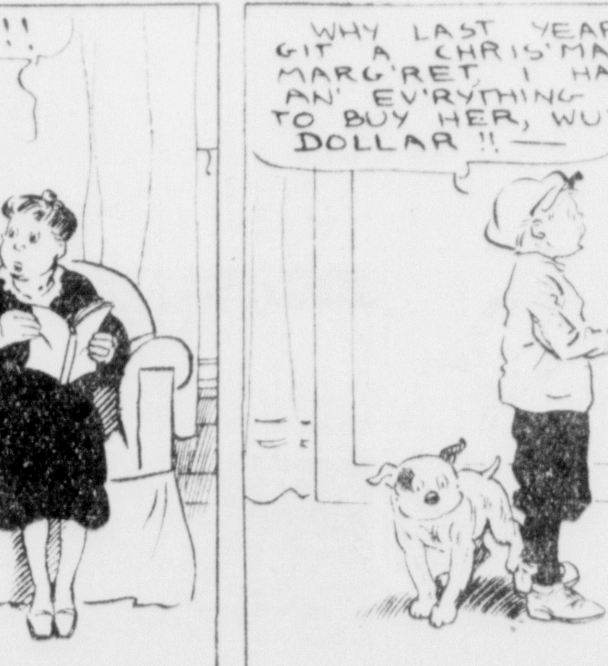
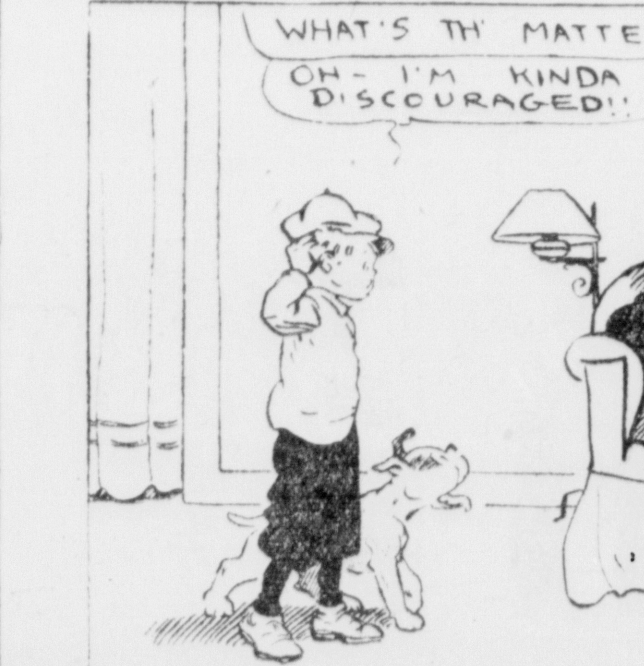
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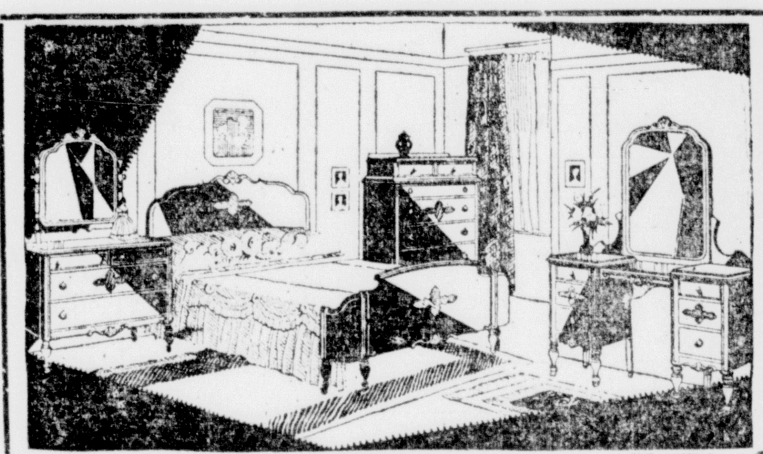


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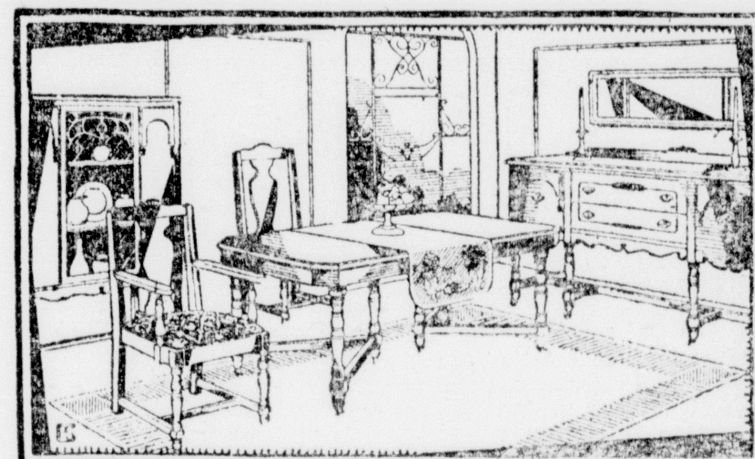
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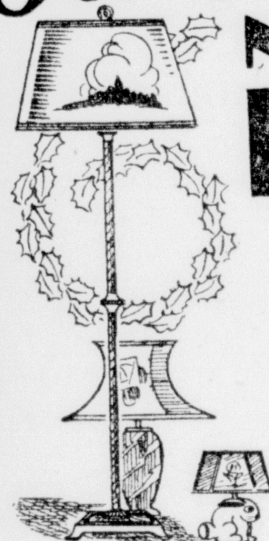


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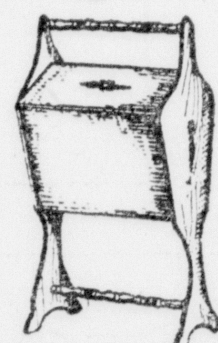
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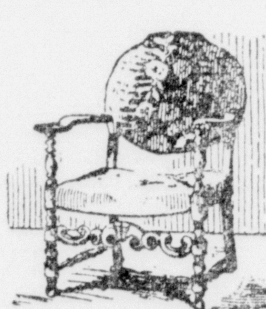
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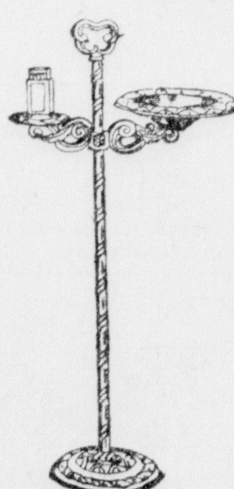


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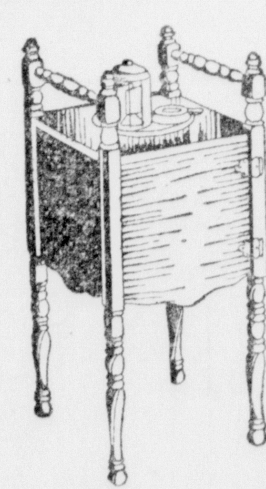
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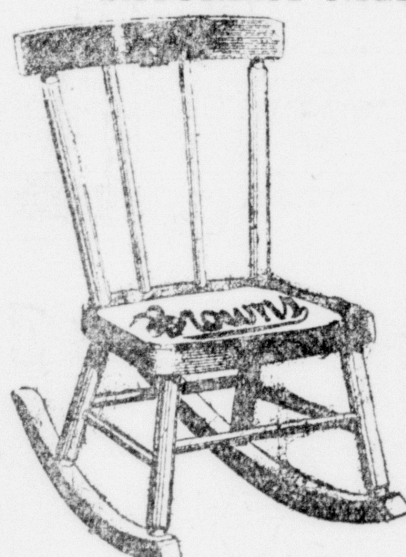
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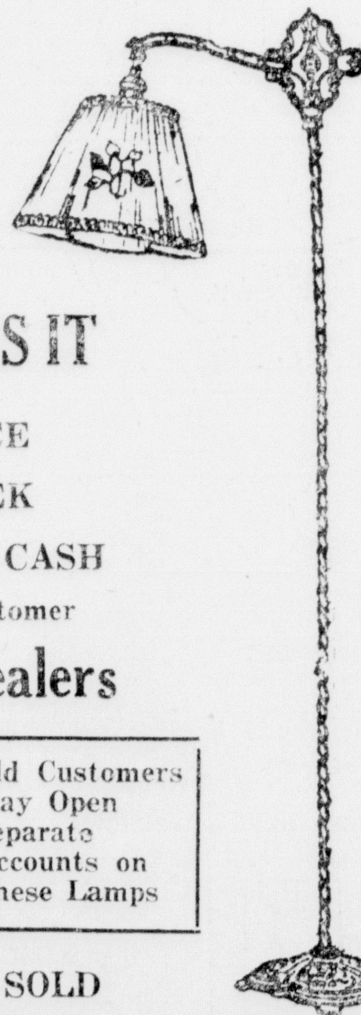
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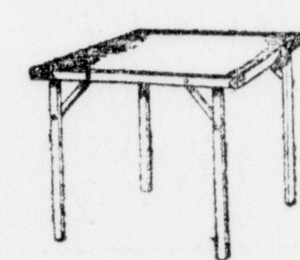
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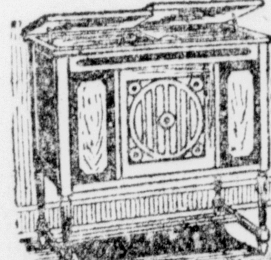


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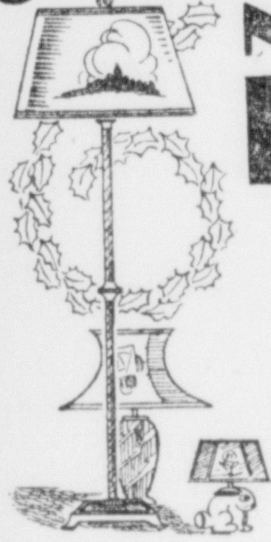
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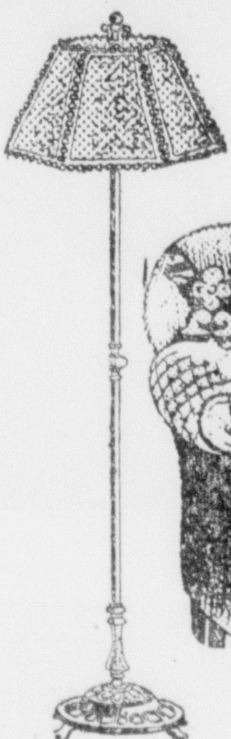
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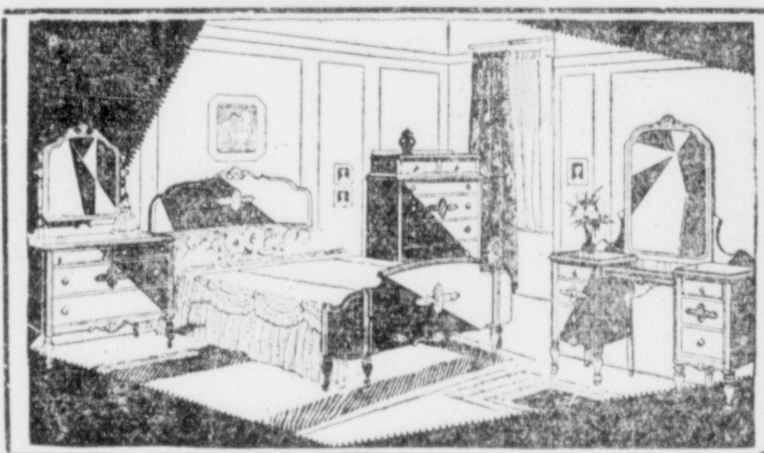


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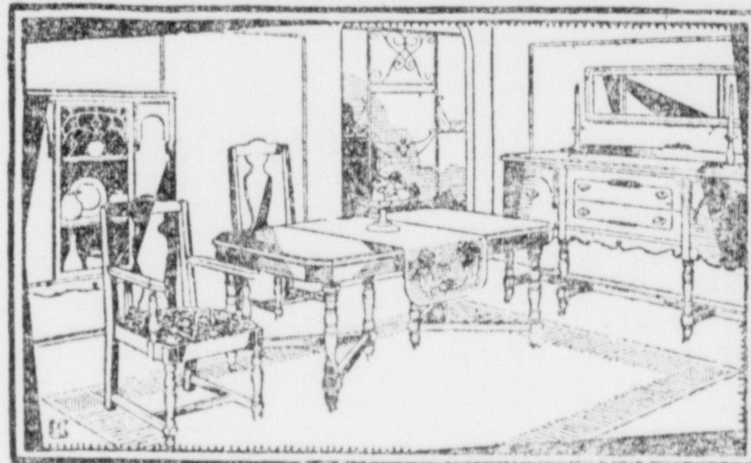
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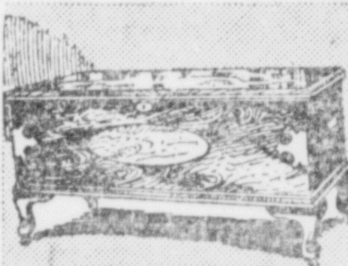
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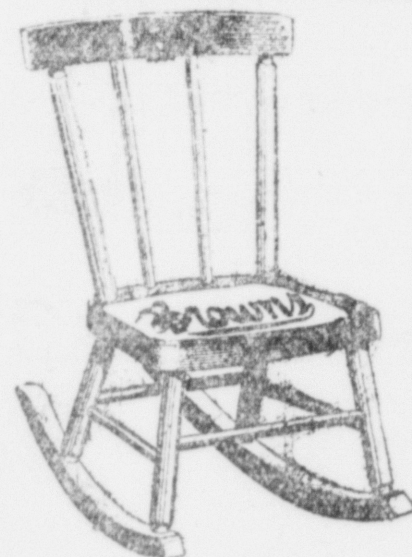
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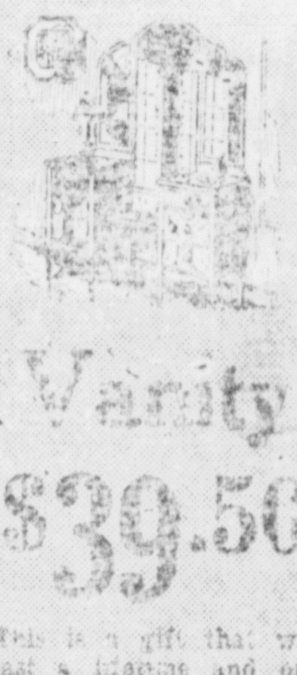
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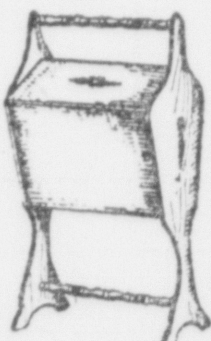
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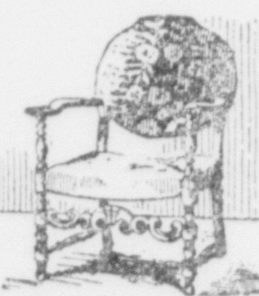
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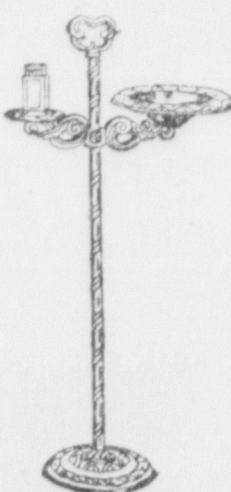


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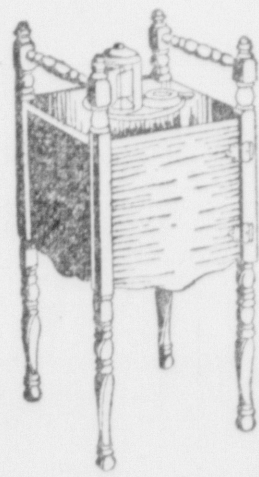
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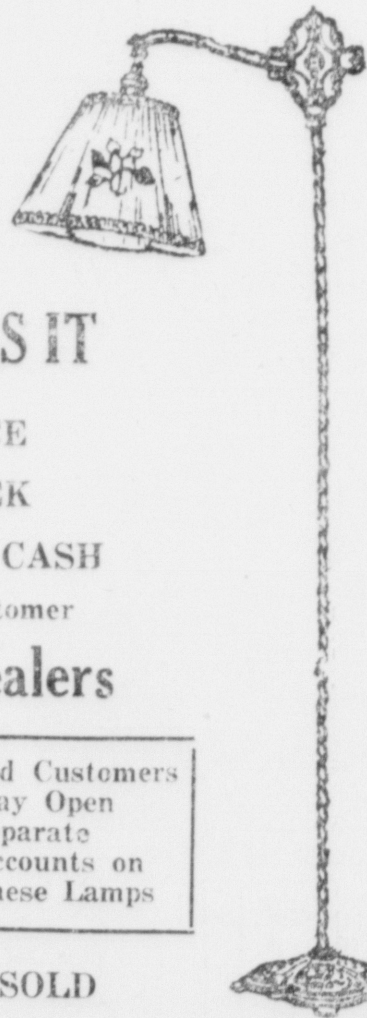
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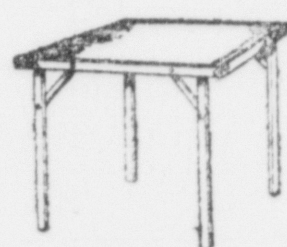
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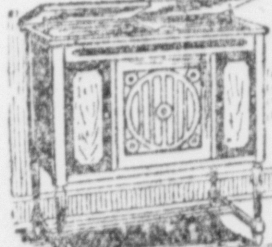


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